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### **NEW SCHOOL** FORMALLY OPENED

OVER 600 LISTEN TO PROMI-NENT SPEAKERS.

Would Make School Building So cial Center For Citizens.

The program of the formal opening of the new Grayling school, held at the school house last Friday afternoon and evening brought a large at

The day was anything but pleasant and the sidewalks a glare of ice, yet this did not keep the people away. The afternoon was devoted to inspect ing the building and explaining to the visitors its many features and arrangements. There were quite a number of outside visitors present, who, like our own people, were greatly surprised and pleased with the new school build-The rooms and, halls were crowded thruout the afternoon.

In the evening the crowd began to ssemble at about seven o'clock and by the opening hour, 7:30 o'clock, the assembly room was packed. It was estimated there were fully 600 persons

Printed programs were distributed thruout the audience. These were printed upon India tint, dull coated enamel in photo brown ink, and contained, besides the program, a splendid picture of the building.

Melvin Bates, secretary of the Board announced the numbers and introduced the speakers. The first number was an overture by Clark's orchestra. After invocation by Rev. Aaron Mitchell, Master Allen Mitchell, "Mayor of Little Folks town," sang in his sweet, boyish voice "Welcome To Our

Twelve children next appeared repmans, Italians, Swedes and finally America, each clothed in native costume, and sang songs of appreciation of the American schools. After the song of each nation the entire chorus adoption of manual training and dosang, "Altho we come from Japau, Spain and Germany, Sunny Italy or Sweden's ice and snow, the Public schools will do their best to make of us decent, law-abiding citizens, we know. And the perchance we get a whipping now and then, the reputation of our school to save, the public school will make us true Americans, in this home of the free and the brave."

After the songs the children went hru a dance step drill. These features had been arranged and drilled by Mrs. T. W. Hanson, and won hearty applause.

DR. O. PALMER. Dr. O. Palmer presented reminis-cences of the early days of Crawford county, and told of the early schools The first school was established in a cedar shanty located across the railroad from where the Burton hotel now stands. There were just six children of school age in the district at that time. This was in the year of 1876. Two years later found the school in an old lumber camp, located on the lot that is now occupied by Peter L. Brown's barn, The following year the school was moved to the building that is now a part of the Town hall among us. and located on the N. P. Olson cor-

ing Mercantile company. the lot where the new building now stands. The west wing was built in 1888, the east wing in 1893 and the south wing in 1906. In 1912 the South

side school was built. The old school was completely desroyed by fire January 21st, 1915 and the new school building was formally opened to the public last Friday Janlary 21st, just one year from the day

W. L. COFFREY. Immediately after the talk by Mr. Palmer, Miss Lucile Campbell render ed a vocal solo, after which W. L Coffrey, a member of the State Board

of education gave an address on the ractical uses of education He advocated any form of education that gives knowledge. Literary education that produces nothing means nothing. Education must be general and include the general duies of citizenship. The lives of those whose education have cost them effort, have been humble workers, not afraid

o soil their hands, are the shining ights in the educational world today. Education teaches us to enjoy beauy, art, birds, music, nature, finds eauty in the meanest flower, and likewise absorbs the good and wholesome from all forms of things and acts; will draw out the good from the

meanest of persons He emphasized strongly "work and bedience." He would teach the boys and girls to work in order to complete party at the Temple theatre Saturday their educations, and praised the man who "Progressively is" and not the man "who was," "Push." Efficiency was strongly emphasized in his talk and said that the visions. Coffee and cake will be servwas to increase your efficiency. He charge. The admission fee is fifty also wants the mothers to teach their children what others cannot.

He touched lightly on domestic science and manual training. He said 8:00 p. m. to 3:00 a. m.

that to "Leave labor out of your education is to rob it; this is an important step in education. He believed in education for results, not effects.

He said that our school was a monument of the efforts of our citizens, but that the cost was small compared with the results of the trained minds to be turned out.

Prof. L. L. Tyler. Prof. L. L. Tyler, of the Traverse City schools, began his talk, after a ocal solo by Miss Cornelia Meilstrup, by first asking the audience to rise and take a good stretch. This seemed to have a restful and refreshing effect upon the crowd that had been sitting idle for some time.

He fold a story, then touched briefly he topic of the war between the coun tries of Europe and compared their army of fighters with the army of wenty eighth millions of school children in America. He commended the people of Grayling for the temple they had erected to the belief and confidence in our boys and girls. He said there was quality and opportunity in American education. He advised opening all gates for boys and girls of Grayling for education, and for them social science.

Prof. Tyler closed his brief but highly inspiring talk with the beautiful poem. "Let me live in the house by the side of the road and be a friend

PROF. C. O. DAVIS One of the principal addresses of the evening was given by Prof. C. O. Davis, of the University of Michigan He begun his remarks by saying that everything living is either going forvard or backward. He gave statis ties of the number of high schools and aniversities there are in the United States. 12,000 of the former and 600 universities. There are 265,000 schools in the United States. He said that the esenting Japanese, Spaniards, Ger-tendency of the American people was to take an interest in education.

> He stated that there must be a diversity of education for there were no wo persous alike. He urged the mestic arts in our schools.

The school was a public institution and he advised making the fullest possible use of it. He said some schools were having moving pictures in the schools and charging five cents admission to defray expense for the films. He said the machines soon paid for themselves. He advocated using the building as a social center for lectures, social affairs, dances and for use of women's and men's clubs, band room, etc.

Prof. Davis' talk was full of good ideas. Owing to the lateness of the hour he spoke very rapidly, but the people listened with great deal of interest, until the final words.

George Lathers, the general confractor of the school building, being present, was called to the platform and introduced to the audience. He ings he had constructed, this had been He thanked the Board of education and the people of Grayling for their

ner, and later divided, some of the diction by Rev. Fr. Riess and a clos- come to Grayling the following Tuesupils going to school in the store ing number by the orchestra. After day, February 1st. Rev. Fr. W. J. building now occupied by the Gray- the meeting many retired to the gym- Hasenberg, of West Branch was in In 1883 the old school was built on furnishing music and indulged in so. of Rev. Fr. Riess and while here arcial dancing.

To add to the pleasure of the occasion the teachers served hot coffee, sandwiches and candy in the afternoon and evening. The proceeds from this netted about \$55.00 which will be used for helping to provide necessities for the two school rest

### You All Know Him.

A local citizen played it on his wife the other day. Went home to lunch. Very silent. Thoughts apparently far away. Mooned around for an hour, Told his wife he had seen the sweet est and most beautiful woman on earth Discovered an immediate and intense frigidity in the atmosphere. Home surcharged with electricity. Wife dignified and silent. Uncommunicative. Children dismayed and in awe. Dog and cat slink away. Storm brewing. About to break. Man remarks the "beautiful one" is married. Husband a lucky dor. He is the husband. Frigidity disappears. Electricity vanishes. Clouds melt away. Sunshine again. Warmth everywhere. Peaches and cream. Lovey, dovey. Children happy. Dog and cat back. Pic for a week. Amen.

### Annual Danish Brotherhood Party

The members of the Danish Brotherhood will hold their annual dancing evening, January 29th. A cordial invitation is heartily extended to every Education means Scandinavian to attend. All are requested to bring their baskets of probest way to get your salary increased ed by the Brotherhood, free of cents for members and 75 cents for all, who are not members of the association. The dance will be from

## Our Big Reduction Sale Still Continues

Hundreds have taken advantage of the low prices we have been offering in this annual January sale. Our efforts have eclipsed all other sales and won for us still greater indorsement by the economical buyers of Crawford and adjacent counties.

There was never a truer saying than "Money saved is money earned," and this has proven true here. We have saved many dollars for our customers and at the same time furnished them the highest quality of serviceable merchandise. No trash appears on our counters—just first-class merchandise.

Remember this sale takes in besides Dry Goods and Ladies' Wearing apparel, hundreds of articles for children and men. High class tailored Suits, Overcoats, Hats, Caps, Pants, Shoes, Furnishing Goods and hundreds of other articles for every-day use and wear.

The prices marked on the articles are for cash only. We cannot afford to charge goods at these low rates. Many things are offered at cost and some at below cost prices.

Every family should visit this store and stock up on things they need for this season and also for next year.

Don't put off for another day, but come here and invest a few dollars at a time when your money will do double duty.

We fully appreciate the confidence of the public so liberally extended to this store and hope in the future to be even more worthy than ever of your liberal patronage.

### EMIL KRAUS

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"A CELEBRATED CASE."

To Be Presented in Grayling by West Branch Players.

"A Celebrated Case" is the title of a production that will be played at the Grayling Opera house Tuesday evening, February 1st. This as a play made a great hit at the Empire theatre, stated that among all the large build- in New York, last year in which Otis Skinner appeared as the star actor. the pleasantest task he had ever had. The cast is made up of West Branch people and is under direction of Attorney E. Harris, who is well know to patronage and for the kindly manner Grayling people. Proceeds of the play in which he had been used while go for the benefit of St. Joseph church from an adjoining room, asks who is of West Branch. It will be played in there. Lazare compels Madeline to The meeting was closed with bene- that city tomorrow, Friday night and say, "I am with your father." Then nasium where Clark's orchestra was Grayling Friday and Saturday, a guest ranged for presenting the play here.

Just prior to the battle of Fontenoy between the French and English, a soldier of the French army, John Renaud by name, discovers Lazare, a camp follower, plundering the Count DeMornay, a proscribed French nobleman, who, while fleeing from his native country, is caught between the wo armies and seriously wounded. John Renaud drives off the robber. and then receives from the dying Count a sum of money for himself, esides some jewels and deeds of property, which he intrusts the soldier to Sunday. 35c.

give over to the Count's little daugh- | State of Ohio, City of Toledo, } ss. ter. John Renaud accepts the sacred trust, and being but a short distance from his own home, takes the deeds the jewels and the money there to leave in custody of his wife. He has

an affectionate scene with his wife and his little daughter Adrienne, and then hurries away to join his regiment. He has been followed to the house by Lazare, who enters it, and at the point of his dagger is compell ing John,s wife, Madeline to give him the keys of the closet where the treas ures are kept, when little Adrienne the murder of Madeline occurs, and Lazare escapes with his plunder. asked who had been there last, replies her father, thus throwing the accusa

latter has a military trial and is sent to the galleys for life. The above is shown in the prologue twelve years elapse between the pro

logue and the play. The play ends by the arrest of La zare and the restoration of John Renaud to his liberty. A very pretty

love under-plot and considerable comedy work runs thru the play. Seats are now on sale at the Cen tral Drug store.

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Lucas County,

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### JUMP IN TAXES IS STARTLING

TAX COMMISSIONER'S FIGURES SHOW SKYWARD BOUND IN AMOUNT.

#### SPECTACULAR INCREASE

The Tax Rate and Valuation of the State Present Some Very Interesting Facts for the Taxpayer.

Lansing—The state tax commission has issued a table of comparisons showing that the total taxes levied In Michigan in 1915 for all purposes are two and a half times the total levied in 1901, while the total assessed valuation had increased only two and a fifth times. There was raised last year for state, county, city, township, school, highway, country roads, drains villages and other purposes a grand lotal of \$60,596,921.07 on an assessed Valuation of \$2,968,226,813. In 1901 for the same purpose the total raised was \$23,350.404.37 on an assessed valmation of \$1,335,109,918.

valuation of the state has kept pace to a large extent with the rise in the total tax levy has only gone up about one-sixth. In 1901 the average rate per \$1,000 was \$17.49; in 1915 it was The 1915 rate, however, was hot the highest of the period. In 1913 another legislative year, the rate was

It is the city taxpayer, however who has reason to bemoan old times," for the urbanite's total taxes in 1915 were nearly three times what they were in 1901, \$18,268,286.40 as against \$6,123,022.21.

The increase in state tax proper has fluctuated because of the heavier levy in legislative years, but the state tax levy in 1915 was about two and a half times larger than the state tax in 1901-\$9,509,461.85 as against \$3,835,

The most spectacular increase and in good roads is that in the county road tax total which has gone up 1.cent since 1901—\$2,474, 771.26 in 1915 as against \$166,441.76

The increase in the total assessed raluation of the state has come pretate which is now two and a third times the total in 1901, while the personal property on the tax rolls has increased only 89 per cent. In 1901 real estate totalled \$1,019,968,833 and personal property \$315,141,085; in 1915 real estate totalled \$2,383,510,822 and personal property \$584,725.991.

Filnt Teacher and Two Pupils Abducted, Get Free.

Flint, Mich.—A young woman re- Normal college, was found dead in ported as a Flint school teacher, ac- bed at the home of his parents in Bat Flint school pupils, was rescued by was due to natural causes. Bay City police late Saturday night, The Chandler homestead after one of the trio had made her Flint taxi driver of their acquaintance who had picked them up for a ride, day. afterward picking up a male companion also. The teacher and her girl companions were put on a Flint inter-urban car in the morning. The taxi driver and his male companion were arrested as disorderlies.

### EX-GOVERNOR RICH ROBBED

Pocket Picked on Train and Thief Gets \$250.

gan, on his way to Florida, reported that while on a train in Cincinnati he was relieved of his pocketbook, containing \$250. He has no idea how the theft occurred. George W. Millen, banker of Ann Arbor, who was in the listments, three times the camp mahext car, came to the rescue of for neuver and rifle practice now required mer Governor Rich with funds suffino obligation to perform police duty clent to carry him on his way and take after 1920 and conversion of six army care of his wants until he could reach posts into federal schools for Florida and make financial arrange officers, are their principal features.

### MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS

he puts the whole job on Page.

Ernest Bigler, son of Marshall Bigler, of Pontiac, was fatally burned and \$11,000, respectively, for com-when fire destroyed the Bigler home, mencement of work on new buildings. The father was in New York and it An appropriation of \$15,000 is made was not known the son was in the to continue work on the new postoffice badly that he cannot recover.

Eight people were hurt, four The first of the coming big gales seriously, when a Michigan United from the northwest struck Sault Ste.

Traction Co. interurban car jumped Marie Saturday noon, preceded by a the track west of Urbandale, due to thaw and the first thunder showe a broken track. The car left the over reported in January in the history rails ten feet from the bridge over of the local government station. A the Waubascon creek, and turned 45-mile wind was blowing and a snow

Charles Morrice, of St. Johns, 18 By a vote of 34 to 17 the Saginaw years old, was awarded first prize by county board of supervisors named the Boys and Girls club department a special committee of five to of the Michigan Agricultural college investigate the methods of present for the best exhibit of corn conducted and former county, city and township

The war has taken a slap at another to the world's annual supply.

## MICHIGAN NEWS BRIEFS LETTER FROM

William Daily, 44, a parole violator, is again behind Jackson prison walls A state 'teachers' institute for Arenac county will be held at Stan-dish on Thursday and Friday, Feb-

ruary 10 and 11 n ext. Michigan senators have received protests against the proposed taxes on gasoline and motor cars from th Big Rapids board of trade.

Postoffice receipts in Bay City doubled during the last three years and bank deposits in 1915 increased \$1,500,000 over the previous year.

Clarence Bailly, 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bailly, of Big Rapids, who was accidentally shot in the head while examining a 22-calibre rifle, is dead.

Congressman Louis C. Cramton ha notified the local branch of the National Defense league that he is opposed to a radical increase in arma

Charles Petrine, burglar from Wash tenaw county, who has been confined in Jackson prison since 1905, has been transferred to the asylum for insane

Hannah M. Towar, believed to have been the oldest woman in Detroit, died The fact that the increase in the ing. She had resided in Detroit for more than 60 years.

> To evade trial on a charge of non support of his family, William Taylor went to Sarnia and enlisted for service with the American legion being ecruited in that city. Charged with having burglarized,

with her husband, a home in Sturgis Winifred Wilson, 21 years old, has been taken to that city. She was arrested in Port Huron.

Caught while attempting to some junk to a Saginaw junk dealer, Oscar Wentworth, of Saginaw, is held in Flint, charged w ith robbing a D. U. R. power station.

Because the epidemic of grip has attacked the attorneys in charge of the remaining cases on the calendar, the circuit court in Saginaw has been adjourned for several days.

Prof. George W. Bissell, dean of one significant of the public interest engineering at Michigan Agricultural college, was elected president by the Michigan Engineering society at the close of its annual convention. Major General Leonard Wood has

accepted an invitation of the Ann Arbor branch of the National Security league to speak on "Preparedness" in cominantly in the value of real es Hill auditorium Monday evening, February 21. Further cases of smallpox having

failed to develop, John A. Craig, principal of the Muskegon schools, announces that the order barring unvaccinated children from the schools will be revoked. The body of Mrs. Peter Beltinck. of Mt. Pleasant, who disappeared the

GIRLS RESCUED BY POLICE night of January 10, was found frozen in a cake of ice and washed up on a bank by high water about a mile be low the city. Prof. W. P. McCurdy, 22, of the fac-

alty of the Michigan Business and Normal college, was found dead in companied by two girls said to be tle Creek, Sunday morning. Death The Chandler homestead in Man

chester, N. H., birthplace of Zachariah escape from a resort in that city and Chandler, of Michigan, secretary of raised a hue and cry. They were ta-the interior under Grant and for 29 ken to the place, they relate, by a years United States senator from Michigan, was destroyed by fire Satur-

Claude Pennock, 12-year-old son o Mr. and Mrs. Warren Pennock, of the village of Pennock, is dead as the result of being shot late Saturday by his cousin, Will Roth, also 15. The lads were playing with the elder Rennock's shotgun.

In stepping from one track upon which a passenger train was approaching, Mrs. Rose Mills, 60 years old, stepped directly in front of an eastbound Michigan Central fast passenger train at a Jackson street crossmer Governor John T. Rich, of Michi. thrown 100 feet. Every bone in her body was broken, the coroner reports.

The National Guard bill of Senator Cummings, provides for a peace strength of 400,000, which would be doubled in war time. Three-year en-

Promiscuous distribution by Michigan congressmen of free seeds fur-nished by the United States department of agriculture was strongly condemned by members of the Michigan Vincent Jagge, held on suspicion of Experiment association. A resolution being an accomplice with Lawrence was adopted requesting that "the Page in the murder of the latter's congressmen from Michigan distribute grandfather, Frank S. Sprague, is all farm seeds only to such persons as leged to have made a statement to are recommended by the experiment Superintendent Carroll, of the Grand station." Valuable seeds have been Rapids police department, in which sent to persons who have little use for them. it is said.

Charlotte and Dowagiac get 15,000 until he had been burned so at Muskegon for the remainder of the fiscal year.

storm is raging at night.

with the Michigan Experiment associa- treasurers in handling state and coun-

ty funds. Inquiry is being made of Michigan of the world's great luxuries, tobacco, congressmen regarding Judson J. both chewing and smoking, and incl. Adams or Judd Adams, born at Galesdentally threatens to disrupt one of burg, Mich., and believed to have been Detroit's biggest industries, which killed by Mexican bandits. Adams Detroit's biggest industries, which killed by Mexican bandits. Adams contributes 30,000,000 to 35,000,000 was for a long time employed at Espounds of plugs and granular tobacco canaba, later going to El Paso, Texas, and then into Mexico.

# STATE CAPITOL

A WOMAN'S PLAINT OVER THE LOBS OF HER SAVINGS IN A BIG CORPORATION.

#### **REFORESTATION GREAT WORK**

What the Industrial Accident Boar Has Done in a Year, and How Timber is Growing Under Proper Care.

[By Gurd M. Hayes.]

Lansing, Mich,-Attention of the Michigan railroad commission been directed to a communication from an Indianapolis school teacher Indiana, which apparently made a poor investment in a Michigan con parts was fifth with 17. cern, and who believes her experienc should serve as a warning to the Indiana commission in regard to a pro posed merger of two big gas com-panies in that state. The woman, whose name is not made public, is quoted in a letter to the Indiana con massion, as saying she purchased \$500 worth of bonds in the Peoples' Light & Power company of Constantine. Michigan. She declares she believed been authorized by the Michigan railroad commission.

"I saved from my small wages, and when I saw that the state of Michigan authorized those bonds, I thought it would be a good place for a permanent investment and saving for my old age," says the woman. "The company however, is already in the hands of a receiver and the bondholders are holding the sacks. I am only a small investor. Indeed, it took some time for me to save the \$500 I thus tried to lay aside. The state of Michigan permitted the impression to be given me and other investors that its regu latory body had investigated and then authorized the issue of bonds by this company."

There is no record either in the railroad commission or the office of the secretary of state that the company is in the hands of a receiver. The rail road commission authorized an issue of \$30,000 in capital stock and \$45,000 in bonds November 13, 1913, and the company filed its annual report with the secretary of state December 31 of that year. Since that time it has failed to file an annual report and its corporate rights have been automatically suspended.

Ve at the Indiana school teacher says about the Michigan commission having authorized the stock and bond issue of the Peoples' Light & Power company of Constantine is true, but as Commissioner Glasgow says, the commission is without any authority to guarantee to the investing public

that such concerns will be properly

managed and will be paying ventures Under the terms of the Michigan law the state railroad commission is required to authorize stock and bond issues to public utilities companies for any amount equivalent to the actual value of the physical property owned

by the corporation. In the case of the Peoples' Light & Power company, it was demonstrated to the satisfaction of the Michigan railroad commission that the property of the concern was actually worth \$75,000. In these matters the word of the promoter is not accepted. An appraisal of the property is made by Dean Geeley of the University of Michigan or a member of his engineering department. Where the property is not worth the amount requested by the corporation, the application is denied.

Hardly a week passes that some company desirious to raising money does not appear before the railroad commission with an inventory of indoes not tally with the report of the university engineers the promoters are told to take their application and

Cases similar to that of the Indiana school teacher have arisen in Michigan. A few weeks ago a farmer in the northern part of the state wrote to the commission and told how he and sold his farm for \$8,000 and invested it in the stock of a telephone company, the issue of which had been authorized by the commission. He said the stock was no good and he wanted the commissioners to assist him in obtaining his money.

"I am sorry," said Commissioner Glasgow, "that some people take the authorization of a certain stock issue by the state railroad commission to mean that it is indorsed by the commission as an investing proposition. "We are simply here to see that no stock is issued that is not represented by tangible assets. We do not accept franchises and good will. It is up to the people to investigate these propositions to some extent before placing their money in them."

The Accidents of a Year.

During the past year injured workers and their dependents have been paid \$1,213,103.32 in compensation according to the annual report of the industrial accident board. In addition lake reserve nursery is to send out to this the amount paid for medical all of the trees for the general plantand hospital service for disabled workmen was \$148,615.20. The medical hospital service paid by employers un-

That State Auto Tax.

"If the state auto tax law is allowed to stand, the evil influence will be of automobiles from the city assessment rolls," declared Corporation Counsel Dingeman, of Detroit, who will attempt to break the law.

"Not a little of the property now on the assessment rolls was placed there indirectly because of the purchase of tions to this effect: 'Do you own this an automobile," he continued. "My and that?' The result was that I found personal experience with an automo-

der the state accident fund is not frecluded in this report, as the state was not authorized to cover medical and hospital service until special provision for this was made by the last legislature. Although in some instances the awards of the industrial accident board were reviewed by the courts. compensation in the big majority of cases was paid without litigation and the load of many a widowed mother has been lightened through the administration of this law which was designed to bring about prompt settlements without recourse to the courts. The report shows that one workingman was killed on an average of each working day for the year 1915. The total number of accidents reported during the past twelve months was \$9,781, of which 332 were fatal. The fatal accidents are classified accordng to industry, and from this classi fication it appears that the largest number of accidents occurred in mining, the total being 116. Transports tion comes second with 55 fatalities from an Indianapolis school teacher the lumbering industry claimed 29, to the public utilities commission of construction was fourth with 21, and manufacture of automobiles and auto

Lands Deeded Back.

Auditor General Fuller is deeding back to the state 2,589 more lots in Roscommon county that have been held for non-payment of taxes. This makes nearly 10,000 lots in Roscommon county sold a number of years ago by enterprising real estate speculators that have been returned to the she was making a good investment state for delinquent taxes. Some of because of the fact the bond issue had these lots were located in marshes these lots were located in marshes and others extended into lakes. They were sold for all prices to persons in various parts of the country who imagined they were buying ideal locations for summer homes.

The State's Forest Reserve.

When the public domain commission formally accepts the policy of refprestation which was given to it by State Forester Marcus Schaaf—and there is every indication that it will do so within a few months-Michigan will begin to take rank with any of the states in the matter of reforesting waste lands.

For several years the Michigan for estry department has been slowly building up to the time when planting of trees in the waste lands of the northern peningula and the northern part of the southern peninsula could become a realify. The nursery which was established at the Higgins lake reserve is now on the way to the zenith of its capacity to turn out trees for planting. At the rate the nursery is now going it will reach its maximum of productiveness in about two years, at which time Mr. Schaaf says he will be able to turn out 12,000,000 two-year-old trees a year.

It is planned by the same time to get ready to plant about 4,500 acres a year and keep on working at the plan until all of the state's land which can grow white and Norway pine is covered. By the time the planting of these lands is completed the first crops should be ready for harvest and then the planting can proceed all over

The state now has control of about 525,000 acres, about one-half of which Mr. Schaaf thinks can be used for planting purposes. The rest he does not think is good enough ground even for trees.

On one of the forest reserves now there are pine trees 11 years old. This is the oldest which the state has tenderly watched and cared for, and the trees are just beginning to loom up as real component parts of a forest. Since 1904 there have been plantings on a small scale each year so that already the state has some crops coming in rotation. The acreage which planted each year has increased. During the spring and fall planting seasons last year 1,007 acres were plant-

ed. To carry out the plan for years to explosion that wrecked the plant of come it will be necessary for the legis- the Kelker Blower company, manufaclature to increase the appropriation somewhat, but Mr. Schaaf thinks he can get along with a comparatively has proceeded, it costs about \$5.50 an acre.

The state now has six forest re serves, as follows: Higgins lake (the headquarters-, Ogemaw, Luce county Houghton lake, Fife lake and Presque Isle. More state lands which are pected to revert to the state within the next couple of years will increase this list by two or three. So far, most of the work done on the reserva tions, with the exception of that at Higgins lake, has been in fire protec tion. Fire lines, fire towers and all appliances for fighting forest fires have been installed.

With the system of fire protection as nearly perfect as it is possible for human hands to make it, State Foresfor Schaaf says that planting on a large scale should begin as soon as practicable. He has insisted along, however that the protection be fixed before the state's money is put out in trees.

Planting in the Luce county reserve will be started next spring. It will he the next one to be tackled, and if is likely that a nursery will also be started at this reserve. The state has many calls for trees for planting from private individuals, and if the Higgins ing, it will be necessary to have another and smaller nursery to attend to the commercial business

lieve the city will lose not only the taxation from the total value of its automobiles but also from the removal far greater than simply that arising of the automobiles from the assess-from the removal of \$15,000,000 worth men rolls will be responsible for other men rolls will be responsible for other taxable property not being placed on them.

"Until I bought an automobile I paid nothing but the ordinary real estate property tax. When I bought the auto the assessors sent me a list of quesout for the first time that I owned taxbile and the assessors leads me to be lable property that wasn't on the rolls."

### **AUSTRIANS TAKE** THREE TOWNS

SCUTARI HAS BEEN OCCUPIED BY AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN

TROOPS.

#### SOLDIERS LAYING DOWN ARMS

Scutari is the Most important Trading Town in Albania; Population of 20,000.

Berlin-Scutari, Albania, has been occupied by Austro-Hungarian troops according to an announcement issued by the Austro-Hungarian headquar

"Scutari has been occupied by Austro-Hungarian troops. Several thou sand Serbians who formed the garri son retire toward the south withou resistance. Austro-Hungarians also have occupied Niksic, Danilovgard and Podgoritza, in southern Montenegros. "The disarming of the Montenegrips

has been carried on up to the present without friction. At several places the Montenegrins have not even wait ed until the Austro-Hungarians peared, but have laid down their arms before the arrival of the troops, in or der to return to their homes. At other places, a majority of those disarmed prefer internment to being sent home.

"The population generally has received our troops in a friendly man ner, and in some instances with cere mony. Riots such as occurred at Pod goritza, ceased as soon as the first Austro-Hungarian detachment appear "Ifalian theatre: Italian advances

in the district of Lavarone and on the Rombon slope, were repulsed." Scutari was occupied by Montenegrin troops in June, 1915, it being ex-plained in an official note issued by the Montenegrin government that stragetic and political reasons impelled the Montenegrin descent on Albania. An additional reason given was that other powers already had oc cupied portions of that country.

Scutari is the most important trading town in Albania and has a population of 20,000. It lies on the east bank of Lake Scutari, and has been re built since the earthquake in 1905.

#### PASSES COMPULSION BILL

House of Commons With Vote of 383 to 36.

London-The compulsory military service bill passed the third reading in the house of commons by a of 383 to 36. The minority against the bill was only one-third of that on its former reading. The bill was immediately sent to

the house of lords and given its first reading. The second reading will be taken in the house of lords Wednes day, and parliament probably will be prorogued Friday. Although debate showed that many

labor members are still suspicious. there is no doubt that general opposition to the measure has diminished enormously since its introduction and that the feeling of the country is strongly with the government. The government accepted an amend-

not be inflicted for refusal to obey a

### BLOWER PLANT BLOWS UP

Four Killed and Many Others Are Missing.

Buffalo, N. Y .- Four persons are known to have been killed, several are missing and four were injured in an turers of planing mill exhausts and ventilators.

Charles Kelker, head of the firm said that form 22 to 25 employes were in the plant and that 21 of them had been accounted for. The explosion demolished all the walls, letting the roof down on the ruins, which caught fire. Pieces of the foundation were thrown hundreds of feet and the concussion smashed nearly every window glass within the radius of Within 300 feet of the Kelker plant is one of the largest grammar schools About 1,500 boys and girls were thrown into a temporary panic, but the teachers quickly marched them to

### TELEGRAPHIC FLASHES

The Traverse City municipal light ing plant in a report to the city com-mission shows that the plant paid a net profit of \$13,813.61 in the last

Pekin-The coronation of Yuan Shi Kai as emperor of China, has been postponed indefinitely. The reason given officially is the uprising in southern China.

Paris-Jack Johnson, it wants to come back to the U.S. A. The Negro battler has grown tired of Europe and tired of being urged to enlist and make himself a target for German guns. It is very likely that the once-time champion back to this country and serve out the prison term meted out to him for violation of the Mann white slave law.

Buenos Aires-The Hamburg-South American Steamship Co.'s coasting steamer Preidante Mitre, which was seized in November off Cape San Antonio, by a British transport, has arrived at Buenos Aires, having been restored to her owners.

Washington-Navy department officials declare that so far they have been unable to develop or purchase a detector of hydrogen gas such as was requested by Lieut. Charles Cooke, commander of the submarine E-2, for the recent explosion on the

#### DRINK HOT TEA FOR A BAD COLD

Get a small package of Hamburg
Breast Tea, or as the German folks
call it, "Hamburger Bruet Thee," at any
pharmacy. Take a tableopoonful of the
tea, put a cup of boiling water upon
it, pour through a sieve and drink a
teacup full at any time during the
day or before retiring. It is the most
effective way to break a cold and cure
grip, as it opens the pores of the skin,
ralieving congestion. Also loosens the
bowels, thus driving a cold from the
system.

Try is the next time you suffer from a cold or the grip. It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore safe and harmless.

### RUB BACKACHE AND LUMBAGO RIGHT OUT

Rub Pain and Stiffness away with a small bottle of old honest St. Jacobs Oil

When your lack is sore and lame When your back is sore and lamsor lumbago, sciatica or rheumatism has
you stiffened up, don't suffer! Get a
25 cent bottle of old, honest "St.
Jacobs Oil" at any drug store, pour a
little in your hand and rub it right
into the pain or ache, and by the time
you count fifty, the soreness and lameness is gone.

Don't stay crippled! This soothing,
penetrating oil needs to be used only

penetrating oil needs to be used only once. It takes the ache and pain right. once. It takes the ache and pain right-out of your back and ends the misery. It is magical, yet absolutely harmless and doesn't burn the skin. Nothing else stops lumbage, sciatica and lame back misery so promptly!

### OPEN NOSTRILS! END A COLD OR CATARRH

How To Get Relief When Head and Nose are Stuffed Up. **\*** 

Count fifty! Your cold in head or catarrh disappears. Your elegged nostrils will open, the air passages of your head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more anuffling, hawking, mucous discharge, dryness or hadache; no struggling for breath at night.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist and apply a little of this fragrant antiseptic oream in your noatrils. It penetrates through

Humility Not All. Humility is the part of wisdom and most becoming in men. But let no one discourage self-reliance: it is, of all, the greatest quality of true maniness.—Louis Kossuth.

Over-Suspicious. "Some men is so suspicious," said

Uncle Eben. "dat if a fairy was to come along an' offer to grant 'em three wishes dey'd have de fairy ar rested fon bein' a swindler.'

Life is but a light dream, which soon anishes. To live is to suffer. The sincere man struggles incessantly to gain the victory over himself.-Napo Excellent Artificial Coffee.

It is said that an artificial coffee has been invented by a Japanese which has a large percentage of nourishment. the right flavor and low cost.

Jackal a Gleaner

The jackal follows in the wake of

lions and tigers and feeds from the

X-Rays on Microscope. A microscope using X-rays has been

world's wettest region.

perfected by a French scientist. Times for Disappearing A man ought not only to go into his

Only Things That Count. The only eternal part for man to act is man, and the only immutable greatness is truth.-Lamartine.

loset to pray, but also to eat corn on

he cob and fried chicken.-Judge.

#### DON'T FEEL RIGHT Jan Dane or the second Sphosphate before breakfact

BEGIN BIOT WATER

DRINKING IF YOU

Says glass of hot water with washes out polsons. If you wake up with a bad taste, bad

if you wake up with a bad taste, had breath and tongue is coated; if your head is dull or aching; if what you eat sours and forms gas and acid in stomach, or you are bilious, constipated, nervous, sallow and can't get feeling just right, begin inside bathing. Drink before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will flush the poisons and toxins from stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels and cleanse, sweaten and purify the entire alimentary tract. Do your inside bathing immediately upon arising in the morning to wash out of the system all the prayious day's poisonous waste, gases and sour bile before putting more food into the stomach.

To feel like young folks feel; like

To feel like young folks feel; like you felt before your blood, nerves and muscles became loaded with body impurities, get from your pharmacist a quarter pound of limestone phosphate which is inexpensive and almost tasteless, except for a sourish twinge which less, except for a sourish twinge which is not unpleasant.

is not unpleasant.

Just as soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and freshening, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels. Men and women who are usually constipated, bilous, headachy or have any stomach disorder should begin this inside bathing before breakfast. They are assured they will become real cranks on the subject shortly.

### DRUGS EXCITE YOUR KIDNEYS, USE SALTS

12 your Back is aching or Bladder bothers, drink lots of water and eat les rest

head will clear and you can breathe freely. No more smuffling, hawking, mucous discharge, dryness or headache; no struggling for breath at night.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Baim from your druggist and apply a little of this fragrant antiseptic cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothing and healing the swollen or inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Head colds and catarrh yield like magic. Don't stay stuffed up and miserable. Relief is sure:

When your kidneys Luxt and your bodels and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs entire urinary tract. Keep your bowels clean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless eaths which removes the body's urinous waste and stimulates them to their nor mal activity. The function of the kidneys as to filter the blood, Tay thous they stay in from it 500 grains of soid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

neys active.
Drink lots of water—you can't drink Drink lots of water—you can't drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Balts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate ologged kidneys; also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean and active. Try this, also keep up the water drinking, and no doubt you will wonder what became of your kidney trouble and backache.

### COMB SAGE TEA IN HAIR TO DARKEN IT

Grandma kept her locks dark, glossy, thick with a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur.

The old-time mixture of Sage Tea and lions and tigers and teeds from the remains of the marauding expeditions of the larger animals.

The old-time mixture of sage len and Sulphur for darkening gray, streaked and faded hair is grandmother's treatment, and folks are again using it to keep their hair a good, even color, which is quite sensible, as we are living in an age when a youthful appearance is of the greatest advantage.

age when a youthful appearance is of comprehences.

Nowedays, though, we don't have the troublesome task of gathering the sage and the mussy mixing at home. All drug stores sell the ready-to-use product called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound" for about 50 cents a bottle. It is very popular because nobody can discover it has been applied. Simply moisten your comb or a self brush with it is and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur is that; besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also produces that soft lustre and appearance of abundance which is so attructive; besides, prevents dandruff, itching scalp and falling hair.

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If each man's secret, unguessed care.
Were written on his brow,
How many would our pity share.
Who have our envy now?

And if the promptings of each heart No artifice concealed, fow many trusting friends would part At what they saw revealed.

EGGLESS DISHES.

When eggs are expensive it is relief to find good things which usually call for eggs



prepared without Oatmeal Daintles.-Cream one cupful of butter with one cupful of ugar. Dissolve a

teaspoonful of soda in a cupful of sweet milk and add to the butter and sugar, then stir in six cupfuls of rolled oats. Add a teaspoonful of grated nutmeg, a half tea spoonful of cinnamon, and a fourth of a teaspoonful of cloves. Mix these with a little flour, add a cupful of raisins and sufficient flour to handle. Flour the hands and make into cakes size of a silver dollar. Bake in a slow oven until brown. These are cakes which keep well.

lard, three cupfuls of light bread sponge, two cupfuls of seeded raisins, two cupfuls of flour, one tablespoonful each of cinnamon and alispice and this also, then add slowly two cupfuls a half teaspoonful of cloves. Add a teaspoonful of soda dissolved in onehalf cupful of coffee. Mix the ingredients and let rise a half hour. Bake one hour in a slow oven. This will blespoonful each of Worcestershire make a large loaf or two small ones.

Eggless, Butterless, Milkless Cake. -Boil together three minutes a cup. Sprinkle with chopped parsley and ful of sugar and water and a half cup. serve. ful of lard, two cupfuls of raisins, an eighth of a teaspoonful of grated method of cooking meat that is in-nutmeg, a teaspoonful of cloves and a clined to be tough. Take two pounds pinch of salt. When cool add two of the shin or round, wine it carefully cupfuls of flour, a cupful of molasses, and lay in a casserole. Cover with teaspoinful of soda, dissolved in a and salt and pepper to season. little water. Bake forty minutes. This in the oven for two hours. Dish up makes a chewy cake which the children especially enjoy.

sugar, one teaspoonful of soda, a teaspoonful of baking powder, a pinch of salt, one-fourth of a tablespoonful each of ginger, allspice and cloves, one-half teaspoonful of cinnamon. Stir with flour to make a drop batter and bake in a moderate oven.

### GARNISHES FOR SOUP.

It is often the tasty garnish which takes the soup out of the common into the unusual Almond Balls .- Pound



a dozen almonds to a fine powder. Beat two light, season with eggs salt and pepper, add the almonds, half a teaspoonful of minced parsley and three-fourths of a

cupful of flour sifted with a teaspoon ful of baking powder. Mix and roll into very small balls and drop into the boiling soup to cook for five minutes

Marrow Balls.—Take a piece of mar row the size of an egg, add a cupful of crumbs, moisten with cold water, add two eggs unbeaten and shape into small balls. Add to the boiling soup and cook very gently two minutes.

Croutons.-Trim crusts from bread and cut in half dice. Toast in the oven and fry in deep fat. If toasted in the even, spread the slices with butter before cutting in dice.

Egg Custard .- Beat three eggs and beef stock. Butter a small pan and it in cleaning the bathtub, kitchen pour the mixture into it. Set the pan sink, linoleum, wash basin and the in another of warm water and place in a moderate oven for half an hour until the custard is set. Cool and cut in squares and add to the soup just be-

Egg Balls .- Chop fine four hardcooked eggs, add a teaspoonful of chopped parsley, two tablespoonfuls of cheese, a cupful of bread crumbs and a pinch of sait, with a of red pepper. Bind with the yolks of two eggs or a half cupful of cream. Make into balls, dip in egg and crumbs, fry in deep fat and add to the clear soup when ready to serve.

Soup Balls .- Roll cracker crumbs, mix with butter and make into firm balls the size of a marble. Drop in the soup when ready to serve.

Quenelles .- Take small bits of meat, finely chopped, mixed with crumbs and bound with egg, shape into balls, dip in egg and crumbs and fry in deep fat. Add to the soup when serving.

### TAKEN FROM EXCHANGES.

Chile is building 208 miles of rail-

North Carolina last year produced minerals valued at \$3,739,696.

Luxemburg covers 1,000 square miles and has a population of 206,000. Switzerland spends more on relief

of poor than does any other country. A government survey has resulted in ranking the Yukon river in fifth place among the great streams of

North America.

According to French statistics, only one-fourth of the aviation accidents are due to defects in acropianes.

For the last 30 years the average yield of potatoes an acre in Ontario but the tribal dances. has been about 42 per cent over that of the United States.

A Chinese girl, a graduate of Wellesley college, will be at the head of a college to be opened in that country by the American institution.

The government Amical des Avoentes de France, an association of French women lawyers, has become affiliated with the Women's Lawyers' association of New York.

SOME CHEAP MEAT DISHES. The flank which is one of the cheat

cuts of meat is very good when nicely cooked. Take two or three pounds, remove the tough skin and spread the meat with a well-seasoned meat, using bread crumbs, herbs, pareley, minced onion and salt

and pepper. Roll up and tie firmly to keep in shape. Have ready a pint, of mixed vegetables, car-rots, onion; celery and turnip. Place these in the bottom of a shallow bak ing pan with the meat on top with just enough water to cover; add a blade of mace and three or four cloves. Cover closely and cook slowly for four ours, basting the meat frequently with the liquor in the pan. done remove the meat and vegetables to a hot dish and thicken the gravy with browned flour. Strain the gravy over the meat, removing the cloves and mace before serving.

Sour Beef.-This is a good way to treat tough beef. Take a pound and a half of lean beef from the shin, cut Bread Sponge Cake.—Take two cup-fuls of brown sugar, one cupful of it in small pieces and roll in flour. Brown the meat in a little bacon fat, then remove it and add to the same fat two tablespoonfuls of flour; brown of water or stock and stir until boiling hot. Put in the meat and cook slowly for one hour, then add two onions, salt and pepper to taste and finally a tasauce and vinegar. Continue the cooking until the meat is tender. serve.

Beef in Casserole.—This is another

s half teaspoonful of baking powder, a can of tomato, add two bay leaves flour and butter cooked together and Cream Spice Cake.—Take a cupful serve the meat with potato pancakes. of sour cream, one cupful of brown The acid of the tomato softens the tough fibers of the meat as does vinegar.

HELPFUL THOUGHTS.

Ink can be removed from any fabric with fresh milk if quickly applied. Blood spots on

roolen may be eas-



blood, and the cloth when dry may be brushed, freeing the starch from the cloth. Before polishing a stove soap the hands well with a good laundry soap, filling the nails with the soap, then dry and the hands will not be at all stained when the black work is done.

A bar of laundry soap moistened to a lather rubbed over the back of the oilcloth that slips and slides on the table will keep it firm without the use of tacks.

Salt shaker tops which have become rusted on may be removed by soaking the tops in a little vinegar. The acid dissolves the rust and the tops will then unscrew.

Cut hot gingerbread or cake with a fork. This makes each piece light and fluffy, whereas a knife used will spoil the cake, making a heavy streak

Use a little kerosene in the cleaning of windows, adding a teaspoonful to a pail of soapy water. Also use rollers of the clothes wringer.

Newspapers may be used in many ways to lighten work. Cut in small squares and hang from a convenient hook. Use the pieces to rub off the stove, wipe out a greasy dish, or on which to set a smoky kettle. save utensils in dressing chickens and preparing vegetables, fruits and nuts; they protect the sink drain if used to wipe out greasy dishes be fore washing. If dampened and torn in bits may be used to keep down dust sweepings. When tightly twisted they make good kindling for fires, and good packing for a homemade

fireless cooker. To keep a kitchen cookstove clean an ordinary school eraser sprinkled with kerosene is a fine improvement over the brush which just changes the position of the dust.

### Neceie Maxwell

### New Jersey factories employ more

than 323,000 workers.

John Pease of Phippsburg, Me., received an offer of \$80 for one veel of an old one-horse chaise, which originally came from Peabody, Mass.

> A book used in 1873 in Farmington, Me., reveals the fact that in November of that year, prices of beef ranged from 5 cents to 19 cents, chicken, 15 cents; pock, 12 cents; lamb, 10 cents to 12 cents; turkey, 17 cents.

wheel is all handmade and is seven

feet one inch in diameter.

Attempts to introduce merry-go-rounds and other amusement devices in Zanzibar have proved unsuccessful. The natives do not care for anything

A nest of wasps will kill from 3,000 to 4,000 flies a day, but the one or two they may miss will breed about 23, 456,789 more before the avengers can get back on the job next morning.

Of the blind persons in this coun try 32,443 are males and 24,829 are females. The male majority is doubt. less largely due to the extra liability of males to accidents, owing to their

### Naive and Pretty Crepe Frock



crope de chine, such as that pictured simplicity and of clever originality to value of these things that spell 'class.'

There are plenty of the widely fla ing and quaint-looking skirts and the plain, drawn-in waists for those who would run after new gods (or a reion. But for those who remain loyal Cook to the waist that blouses and the youthfulness of line always to commake a strong appeal.

The skirt denies the demand of the to itself a little extra length, required by the impression the finished frock must make. There is a straight pepum at each side hanging from a moderately wide, plain girdle. This is skunk fur, the fronts just caught to-edged at the top with a band of cross gether by a cameo brooch. barred satin in white with dark gray bars, and above this a soft frill of the crepe meets the blouse.

The buttons are covered with crepe

The long, straight sleeves are gathered into a wide band at the wrist, above; will lend demureness and a and a flaring turnback cuff, of the touch of youth to its wearer, be she cross-barred material, is set on to the lacking in both. It has the charm of band. In the management of the col lar and cuffs and girdle the originality commend it to those who know the of the designer is most apparent, and the whole frock speaks for her sense of fitness and beauty.

Fur is frequently introduced as rimming detail, and several effective schemes are being carried out with a combination of crepe and skunk. A charming example is a blouse of the straight-hanging full skirt that has palest pale-pink chiffon with veiled fine ivory shadow lace arranged to fall mend it, the frock shown here will in a little basque movement over a deep bell of black panne, tiny black dots trimming the V-shaped neck openmode for extreme shortness and takes ing and sleeves, which are furthermore adorned by ruffles of fine net. distinctive feature is a little bolers of old gold mousseline de soie, the edges bordered by a finger depth of

New Neckband.

The newest thing in neckbands is the small black silk cord from which like the dress, and there is an odd and hangs a jeweled pendant. These may very youthful-looking collar of white also be used as veil fasteners, placcrepe about the round neck. It fas-tens in the back. ing the cord and pendant over the veil.

### Dressing the Child's Hair



trimming the hair of little boys and girls, and of managing that of larger girls in a way to take the best possible care of it. But none of them is quite so popular as the bobbed hair, which is equally pleasing on boys or girls that are little, or the braided hair for larger girls, as shown here, Those who trim the locks of the litle ones make some variations in the Sometimes the bang is longer and ometimes the hair at the sides, naturally wavy or curly, is cut a little longer so that it curves about the ears Occasionally a side part suits the style of the youngster's face particularly well, in which case the hair is trimmed and trained to this style for either boy or girl.

On little girls from three to eight curls that hang almost to the shoulders and a fringe o ringlets about the face make out so good a case for themselves, on the score of becomingness, that they are always fashionable Then the hair bow of ribbon begins to fill the horizon of the little miss

Reindeer Proved Their Value.

The first practical test of the endurance of reindeer and their ability to traverse any part of the country under the most unfavorable circumstances, with the temperature at times lower than that experienced by many of the Arctic expeditions, was made in 1898. The train, consisting of nine sledges and 17 head of deer, started from Teller station in the dead of winter, vith the thermometer at 45 degrees below zero. Native trails and wellknown sections of the country were | Science Monthly.

There are several pretty ways of | and the matter of fostering the growth of her hair claims the attention of her nother. The hair loosely braided and wrapped about the head is as practical and pretty as any arrangement for the girl of eight and upward, as can

Unless the little miss has hair of more than average length it will be necessary to braid her ribbons in with it, toward the ends of the braids. This hairdress keeps the hair from beng broken and roughened and allows it to be easily combed.

To the end of her school days hair ribbons are among the affairs of importance which engross the time of the young girl. Just how versatile she becomes anyone who observes will learn. All sorts of bows worn in all sorts of ways have their season of popularity, and it is interesting to note the amount of style which some gifted misses manage to achieve in making and wearing them.

Julia Bottomby

purposely avoided. The trip of more than 2,000 miles was made in a little less than two weeks-with a loss of but two deer.

Need for Electric Rickshaws. According to advices from India here is no reason why small electric vehicles should not replace the rick shaw in hill stations, where these are now in general use. The over-all dimensions of the vehicle need not be over eleven feet by five feet.-Popular

### SMALL, BUT EFFICIENT

REMARKABLE MODEL OF LOCO MOTIVE MADE BY BOY.

Engineering Department of Great Rail road System Surprised at the Power Developed by the Tiny Machine.

A miniature railroad locomotive tracted the attention of the railroad s the handiwork of Arthur Johnson of Portland, Ore.

This tiny locomotive only 45 inches in length, was built to test a new invention of his on a firebox. It is operated by steam generated by oil fuel, and is equipped with air brakes, an interior throttle and reverse levers and

The engineering department of the Southern Pacific company borrowed



Working Model of a Locomotive, Built by This Boy, Which Develops One-quarter Horse Power and Will Haul

the model and figured out its weight power, and all other statistics in the same manner that they would figure on a full-size locomotive. To their sur orise they found that the tiny engine leveloped one-quarter horse and on a level track had a haul capacity of one and a quarter tons. Popular Science Monthly.

#### FRENCH DRIVERS BADLY PAID

Men at the Throttle, With Enormou Responsibilities, Receive Very Small Wages.

Edward Mott Woolley contributes to the Saturday Evening Post an article on methods of earning a living in Europe. There are many fast trains in

France-or, rather, there were before the war and there will be when the war is over. I am speaking here in terms of peace, says the writer. Relatively there are just as many daring engine drivers in France as in One of these engine drivers is

Jacques Olivier—if you will permit me to take a little liberty with his name. He hauled the Nord express, train de luxe on the French Northern railroad, of Paris on its journey toward Berlin and what was then St. Petersburg. The Nord express was as fast a train as most of the famous fivers in the United States.

The first stage of its eastward journey ended at Saint-Quentin, 96 miles from Paris, and the running time given Olivier was 102 minutes. This means more than a mile a minute over most of the distance. It meant, in terminated at Fort Scott. Reeves spots, 75 miles an hour, which is the limit allowed by the French law. Beyond Saint-Quentin Olivier's run was taking his first ride "on the cars;" reached to Charlerol, Belgium—in all he could chuck a crying infant under about a hundred and sixty miles. It the chin and bring an immediate smile

The Nord express, too, might be comparable to the luxurious trains that rush headlong between New York that rush headlong between New York know Bobby Reeves and call him and Chicago. It had corridor, sleep-friend. Perhaps he made a few eneing and restaurant cars and on it traveled the aristocracy of Europe and a remarkably silent sort, for Therefore in France Olivier lived in

the same sort of halo of romance that For this service Olivier received

about \$80 a month, including the va-rious extras for making time and for allowances on expenses away from home. If he were taking a fast train on a leg of its journey from New York to Chicago he would be getting today mewhere around \$225 a month.

First American Locomotives. Among the firms which early under

took locomotive construction was the one founded by Matthias Baldwin in Philadelphia whose first engine, the 'Old Ironsides." appeared in 1832. The influence of George Stephenson of England and his celebrated locomotive, the "Rocket," was felt in the United States, but considering the undeveloped condition of American industries in 1836, a surprisingly small number of English engines was im-The needs of our railroads ported. were mainly supplied by our own foundries and shops. Nor were Brit-ish models followed to much extent. American designers followed new lines in order to meet novel conditions. They were so successful in making engines that would work on curves and climb grades that American locomotives soon began to be sold in England.

Peter Cooper's inventive genius was continually employed during his life. He was most active in the assistance of Cyrus W. Field in the laying of the Atlantic cable, and this enter-prise was in a very great degree successful through the unflagging efforts of Mr. Cooper.

it Was a Flea. Smith—"Is that dog of yours smart?"
Brown (proudly)—"Smart? Well, I should say so! I was going out with him yesterday, and I stopped and said:

Towser, we have forgotten some-And bothered if he didn't sit down and scratch his head to see if he could think what is was!' Cleaning Bronzes. Soapsuds and a soft cloth will clean

#### bronze ornaments satisfactorily. A dry cloth or chamois can be used for drying afterward.

#### TREES ALONG RIGHT OF WAY

Texas Railroad Has Started a Mov ment Likely to Meet With General Approbation.

Word comes that a Texas railroad unning from San Antonio to the Gulf, s to plant trees all along its right of way, and discussion of the propor move is provoking much favorable discussion, says the Los Angeles Times. The object of such tree planting is

to improve the scenery in general and the railroad property in particular. and to show travelers at the same time what southern Texas soil and climate will produce in arboreal growth.

The trees to be used consist of date palms, figs, oranges and pecans; the latter native to Texas and one of the most staple, natural and cultivated crops. It is expected that trees bear ing other fruits, nuts, etc., will be added, after the first planting, as the railroad will secure the services and ad vice of the best experts to be found with the idea of demonstrating the fullest horticultural values of this portion of that truly great state, great in many ways. Ornamental groupings will also be made around station houses, section houses, water tanks and on railroad lands of any characte along the entire route. Railroad officials have had this move

n mind for some time and the work as not been ordered in a spasm of nomentary and transitory enthusiasm. landscape will go the profits to be derived from orchard trees, and it is anticipated the result will be an added influx of homeseekers to southern Texas. It will present a continuous and uninterrupted argument for the fertility and sufficiency of that section. The plan is one that has been nuch urged of late for the alignment of the highways between Galveston and Houston and the City Beautiful man is much gratified to find that such fine example is to be set for all who thirst and hunger for more general andscape beautifying. There are no more potent factors in the building up of cities and surrounding territory than good roads and scenic drives with miles upon miles of suitable tree to relieve the otherwise barren and ininteresting landscape. We most sincerely hope that not only the south ern part, but the whole of the Lone Star state may become one great checkerboard, laid off in lines and squares of living green.

### GAVE HIS NAME TO TRAIN

Conductor on Missouri Pacific Railroad Who Was Long Held in Remarkable Affection.

Running between Yates Center and Fort Scott on the Missouri Pacific is: in accommodation train that is known as "Bobby." Railroad men, travelers and folk living along the line alike call it by that name, says the Kansas City Star. It is a sort of memorial for one of the best-liked men that ver carried a ticket punch.
For twenty years Bobby Reeves-

lobody ever called him Robert-was conductor of the morning Missouri Pacific that ran along this route. Most of the time the train went as far east as Rich Hill, but later its run was a big, jovial man. He always had a kindly smile for the country boy who was comparable to the run from New to its wry little face, and he could swap a joke with any drummer along the line. After a while most everybody along that portion of the road came to mies, too, but if he did they were of ever seems to have heard of them.

Last winter Bobby Reeves died About the same time the Missouri Pahovers over the heads of the men who cific took off the morning train along sit at the throttles of our own limited that route. There was an immediate trains and haul us out into the night, protest against the road's action by He had the same duties; the same re-sponsibilities of life in his keeping; probably was not badly needed, but it had come to be a sort of institution, and folks did not want to part with it. After a while the Missouri Pacific restored it in accommodation form. The long familiar figure of the smiling old conductor is gone now, but folks look after the train a bit wistfully and say There goes 'Bobby.'

> Railroads of the World. Railway systems of the five great geographical divisions of the earth compare in miles of operated line as follows:

> 1913 Europe ... 214,665 North and South America ... 353,467 Asia ... 67,631 Africa ... 27,472 Australia ... 21,959 9,910 1,486 994 381 10.181 16,717 Total ......6S4,614 15,009

> Asia, it will be noted, was the only continent to show a larger increase in 1913 than in 1912.

> > Faith.

The necessity and dignity of faithnothing can be more philosophical, nothing more reasonable than this idea. And yet, if we are to believe vulgar declamation, and the sayings of people of the world, faith can be the portion only of weak minds and diseased imaginations. On the contrary, it is in a certain degree the common heritage of the human race; and in the highest degree the peculiar gift of elevated characters, of noble spirits, and the source of whatever in the world bears the impress of greatness.-

Good Enough

"Do you think you can support my daughter in the style to which she has become accustomed?" but I think I can support her in the style to which her mother had to become accustomed when she got man

Missed Something.

We had had a light lunch consist ing of soup and dessert, and when my little brother was given his pudding he asked, "Mother, where's the middle of my dinner?"

### Eternal Life, a Present Possession

By REV. WM. W. KETCHUM Director of Practical Work Course Moody Bible Institute of Chicago

TEXT—These things have I written un-to you that believe on the name of the Son of God; that ye may know that ye have eternal life, and that ye may be-lieve on the name of the Son of God.—I John 5.13

God has given one book in the Bible particularly to tell us how we may have eternal



life; that book is the Gospel by John, see John 20: 30-31. God has given another book for those who believe, particularly that they may know that they have eternal life; that book is the First Epistla of John, see our text, I John 5:13. If you are not a Christian, the

study is the Gospel by John; if you are a Chris-tian and not sure of your salvation, you should study the First Epistle of

After John Wesley had been preaching some time, but without results, someone said to him: "Are you sure, Mr. Wesley, of your salvation?" Wesley replied he was sure that provision had been made for his salvation. "But, are you sure, Mr. Wesley, that you are saved?" It went like an arrow, and he had no rest until he was sure of his salvation

But is it not presumptuous for one to say, "I know I am saved?" tainly not, if one really does know he is sayed. It honors God and Christ, "for by grace are ye saved christ, "for by grace and that not of your-through faith, and that not of your-calvas it is the gift of God." Paul selves, it is the gift of God." was able to say, "I know whom I have believed, and am persuaded that he is able to keep that which I have committed unto him against that day." Why should this not be your testimony, if you are a Christian? It can be if your assurance centers in Christ.

Your church membership does not save you. No church on earth can save a man. It's sad, but true, there are undoubtedly multitudes of unconverted church members who are lost. It is not the church, but Christ, who saves. "There is none other name under heaven given among men whereby we must be saved."

If you are depending upon your morality, it won't save you. Nothing is quite so dishonoring to God and Christ as a sinner's boastful righteousness, which God says is in his sight as filthy rags. To pay your debts, to be a good, true husband or wife, parent or neighbor, does not constitute you a Christian. A Christian is one who, having accepted by faith the Lord Jesus Christ as his Savior, is born from above. Thus he becomes a partaker of the divine nature and will manifest in his life the life of

God. See Titus 3:5. Again, let me say that you are not saved because you feel you are saved. You can feel saved, and be lost. I board a train. Someone says, "Are you sure you are on the right train?" 'Oh, yes, I'm on the right train." "Well, how do you know you are?"
"Oh, because I feel I am." "Nonsense." the person would say. "You can't depend upon your feelings in this matter; what you need is not feeling, but fact." So the right order in the matter of salvation is fact, faith, feel-If I can believe what man says, assuredly I can believe what God says.

See I John 5:9-13. We do accept the testimony of men: why then should we not accept the testimony of God who says "He that hath the Son hath life?" The matter for us to decide is whether we have the Son or not, for upon this depends whether we are saved or not. that believeth on the Son hath everlasting life," John 3:36. It is for us to receive by faith God's gift of If we really and truly do this God will do his part-give unto

us eternal life. To believe on the Lord Jesus Christ is not simply to believe that he is the Son of God, the Savior of the world. "The demons," we read, "believe and tremble." Saving faith is a personal appropriation of Christ as

one's own Savior. When I was a boy I was greatly helped by the testimony I used to hear in the Railroad Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoons, from old Mr. Babbage, for years the sexton of the Brick Presbyterian church, Rochester, N. Y. Mr. Babbage had the palsy and with

faltering, stammering tongue he gave his testimony.
So far as I can remember it never varied and today I thank God for the oft-repeated testimony of his child. Leaning heavily on the chair in front of him, in faltering accents he would say: "John three thirty-six, He -that believeth-on the Sc

h-a-t-h, present tense, thank God, ever-

lasting life." That testimony burned its way into the heart of the boy who today thanks God for eternal life, a present pos-

"If we accept the testimony of men, the testimony of God is greater; he that hath the Son hath life."

The fear of God consists in a constant habitual sense of the glory of his being and perfections. Low and mean thoughts of the great God can never subsist in a heart that truly fears him; the consideration of the divine majesty naturally engages us in reverence. His excellency makes us afraid .- Neal.

He that will believe only what he can fully comprehend must have a very long head or a very short creed.

### People Gladly Buy Our Bread

There is something good, something wholesome in the odor of our

#### Home-Made Bread

hot from the ovens. What a delightful combination it is, that bread, the most perfect food, whose tissue-building, energy-yielding qualities are more evenly balanced than any other, should also, when properly made, be the most palatable, most universal food we eat.

### Model Bakery and Grocery

THOS. CASSIDY, Prop'r.

#### Crawford Avalanche O. P. Schumann, Editor and Proprietor.

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GRAYLING, THURSDAY, JAN. 27

#### WIII You Be Missed?

Some of these days you, who are reading this editorial, are going to die and pass on to your reward-whatever that reward may be.

But will you leave a void behind? Will you be missed?

The Creator has ordained that man must carve out his own career in this world, and when he journeys to the great unknown he leaves behind him a record founded upon his own acts.

You may leave behind you a wife, or children, or other dependents. As you deal by them in life, so will their grief be gauged and tempered at your.

Will they miss you?

In this town you have friends and business associates and perhaps many acquaintances. They know you as you are, as you have been for these many years. They have judged you living and they will judge you dead. Will they miss you?

In the banks and the stores and the offices and out upon the farms are people, who have known you in the past and who know you today. As you have been, so are you known to

Will they miss you?

In the house of darkened windows where sweet toned music soothes the tired brain and the minister tells of the ways of a better life, are many people who know you for your acts and your deeds, for that which you have performed or have left undone Will they miss you?

In our homes are many little children who know you, who have passed you on the streets, who, perchance, may have been greeted with a kindly smile or with a frown. They will remember you.

But will they miss you? Even your faithful animals or pets know you as you are and as you have been to them.

Will they miss you? There is no place you may go, no ing January 30th.

point of the compass to which you may turn, but what people have known you or will know you, and by all of these you will be judged when you have passed away.

As you shape your career in life, so do you write the record by which you

will be known after death. Your family, your associates, your cquaintances, even your dumb brutes will remember you after you have

But will you be missed?

Have you ever been in a tropical ountry where you could stand at a safe distance and watch the alligaters snooping around and waiting for an opportunity to pounce upon their unappy victims? Mexico of today.

Clara Kimball Young in "Marrying Money.

World Film corporation presents the medy photoplay "Marrying Money" in which Clara Kimball Young is starred.

Miss Young's versatility will have a hance of showing itself to advantage in this film. She is equally at home n comedy roles as well as dramatic. The story of "Marrying Money" is

a satire upon matrimony, nothing more nor less. It reveals the marriag game, as it is frequently played, in all its unmistakable cynicism and base ess, although it does not overlook the humorous side of the matter. Mrs. Niles, an ambitious society lady

has a pretty daughter Mildred, played by Clara Kimball Young, and she wants the girl to make a good match, Along comes an eligible Count, who however, hasn't got anything more to ecommend him to Mildred than his title. Exit his Countship. As Mr. Niles, Mildred's father, fails in business, it is imperative that the girl should now marry real money. Instead of which she falls in love with a penniless young fellow, Chester Barnett, and they are married. There is consternation in the bride's family which is removed when it is revealed that the young bridegroom inherits

money. James Young is the director of this picture into which he has introduced many excellent touches that heighten the effect of the comedy which is sure to please motion picture fans.

"Marrying Money" will be shown at the Opera house on Sunday even-

### "A CELEBRATED CASE"

Opera House, Tuesday Night,

Feb. 1st

Under the Direction of ATTORNEY E. HARRIS of West Branch

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Elaborate Costumes of Louis XV style will be used.

Admission 35 and 50 Cents

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### FREDERIC NEWS

Geo. Burke attended the auto sho

t Detroit last week. Dr. Insley of Grayling was a busi

ess caller Wednesday. Mrs. J. W. Burke was taken to Mercy hospital Thursday suffering vith a severe case of la grippe.

The T. A. C. club held their weekly neeting at the home of Mrs. E. Mc Cracken Tuesday of last week. All

eport an enjoyable time. Chas. Blanchard of Roscommon was

a town Thursday. Miss Nellie Charlefour of Grayling vas a pleasant caller last Thursday. Mrs. G. W. Wood was a Gaylord

caller Thursday. Mr. P. R. Densmore of the Frederic Bank was in town on business Wedesday and Thursday of last week,

E. Sargent of Cheboygan was in own Thursday.

Misses Irene Patterson and Mabe Wallace are visiting in Detroit.

J. S. Kelley of the Walsh Mfg. Co. made a business trip to Grayling Tuesday.

Mrs. C. Kelley was taken to Mercy hospital Wednesday suffering from la grippe, she being accompanied by Mrs. E. McCracken.

Mrs. Chas. Smith made a trip to Grayling Thursday.

G. A. Collen of Grayling formerly of our city was a pleasant caller Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Geo. Burke, Mrs. J. Tobin and Mrs. C. J. Callahan were Grayling callers Saturday.

W. E. R. enjoyed himself at the lear year party Saturday eve. Eh! Rusty Mrs. Mary Van Atter spent Sunday with her parents in Vanderbilt.

The Frederic High school made trip to Mancelona last. Thursday and now they are short a good referee and umpire, J. D. Lammiman is on the sick list

this week with influenza and Friday night received a severe relapse, but is doing nicely now. It is rumored that there is a peti-

tion being circulated for the purchase of gimeracks for some of the older boys in town.

#### Frederic School Notes.

The fair given by the High school was a tremendous success and was

This week's Literary was post pone rom Monday night to Thursday.

The last two Basket Ball games were played with Indian River and Ros common. We are proud to say that our boys won each game by a score from Indian River 80 to 13, Roscommon 18 to 15, both being well conduct ed and good games.

The town Board have changed th heating facility of the Opera house and it approves to be much more pleasant. We hope this will bring larger crowds.

Emera Fish from Stockbridge was welcome visitor in the High school room Monday morning.

Mae McDermaid has been elected secretary and treasurer of the Liter ary society. Jessie Reynolds has been elected chairman of program.

Liland Smock has returned to High chool after nearly a week's illness. Libbie and Flora Malco are board

ing in town now. New books have been added to the reference library.

School was closed January 14th, to repair the furnace.

One of the greatest successes of the fair, was the Minstrel show. The boys who took part were: Donald Reynolds, Roy McDermaid, Eldo Johnson, Max Tobin, Walter Brown, and Williard Courney.

Supt. Wood is conducting the read ing circle work, held at the school house Saturday forenoons.

The play "Betsy Baker" will be pu on at Literary Thursday night.

### Riverview.

E. Matt went to Grayling Friday returning Saturday.

O. Richardson is in Flint for a few days on business.

Miss Grover and brother, Harry at tended the exercises at the new school in Grayling. Friday evening and re

V. Bromwell spent a few days with

Margaret Richardson, who has been on the sick list is reported much better. Mrs. M. McLeod is home from Lan

sing, where she spent a few weeks with relatives and friends. All enjoyed the dance Saturday

evening. We are all glad to see Mrs. Potter with us once more.

Mrs. Kelley and children left Mon day for Grand Rapids, where she will pay her mother a visit.

### Orip Epidemic.

The Grap Epidemic has increased fenced. About ten acres low land, the demand for Dr. Humphrey's "Sev-balance good farming land; sawing enty-seven" so that our resources are taxed we ask dealers and consumers conserve and husband their supply. To get the best results, take "Sev-To get the best results, take "Seventy-seven" at the first feeling of Grip or a Coid, a chill, a shiver, lassitude.

If you wait until you begin to cough and sneeze, have sore throat and in-the mills and yards, and purchaser throat it may the longer.

and sneeze. have sore throat and in-the nulls and yards, and purchaser fluenza, it may take longer.

25cents and \$1.00, at all dringcists or mailed. Medicial Book Free. Humphreys: Homeo. Medicine Co., 186 William Street, New York.

O. Palmer.

#### Lovells

We are all wondering what we have lone, to be deprived of the Avalanche

Geo. Leykauf, Otto Siddle and Mr. Waldorf of Detroit, who had enjoyed a week's outing at Mr. Leykaufs cabin, returned to their homes on Friday. Lewis Bills returned to Detroit on Friday.

Chas. Douglas of Johannesburg visited relatives and friends last week, returning home Friday. His mother, Mrs. J. Douglas accompanied him home,

Mrs. Bills made a business call to Grayling Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Underhill were Grayling callers Thursday.

Mrs. Nephew made a trip to West Branch Friday for dental treatment, returning Saturday.

Mrs. C. Stillwagon was called to West Branch Friday, her father, Mr. W. E. Husted being seriously ill. He is still in a critical condition.

The Sewing circle met at the home of Mrs. Caid last Thursday.

A number of our town people were entertained by Newell Underhill Phursday evening.

Miss Foley and sister Gertrude spent Sunday in Grayling.

A good many have enjoyed the skatng at Shoe Pack lake this last week. Many of our farmers have taken advantage of the mild weather, coming to town with wagons. Some thing un usual for this time of the year Among those in town this week were Mr. Vance, Mr. Gail, Orlo Schreve John B. Redhead, William Foley and Elmer Sohn.

The Larkin club held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Caid Sat-

#### Card of Thanks.

To our friends in Grayling. We vish to express our thanks for their kindness and sympathy in our late be

MR. AND MRS. FRED LARSON

AND FAMILY, Johannesburg.

### WANTS

Advertisements will be accepted under this heading at the rate of 5 cents per line. No adv. taken for less than 15 cents. There are about six words to the line. There are about six words to the line. SEND MONEY WITH THE ORDER.

WANTED-Nice clean furnished room by young man. Leave word at Avalanche office.

POSITION WANTED—Clerk or hote Unable to do heavy work. Reliable and steady. Lock box, 513. Grayling Mich. 1-27-2

FOR SALE—Half lot, located on cor ner of Norway and Ogemaw street near McKay house corner. To be sold at a bargain if purchased soon Inquire of Mrs. Cora Stephan, Gray ling. 1-27-2

GIRL WANTED-Inquire at Ava lanche office. Phone 1112.

WANTED-Places for three girls to work for their board while attending school. Call A. A. Ellsworth. DRY JACK PINE stove and furnace

wood for sale, Inquire at Avalanche office. Phone 1112. 1-20-3 FOR SALE—Heating stove and range Both first class. For sale cheap Emil Hauson. Phone 88 J. 1-13-2

### NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, In the Circuit Court for the Count

of Crawford. In Chancery.
Marius Hanson, Complainant,
vs.
Sarah Turner, Fred Phippeney
and Allen B. Failing, Administrator of the Estate of

James Phippeney, deceased, Defendants. In pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford; In Chancery, made and entered on the fourteenth day of October, A. D. 1915, in the above entitled cause, I the sub-

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A desirable lot for a dwelling in Brink's addition,

A five room dwelling house on lot 2, block 4, Brink's addition. Now occupied, but not entirely finished inside, can be bought for much less than valne, with small payment down and bal-

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The Gist of It.

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### NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN: In the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford. In Chancery. Lubert A. Sanderhoff, Complainant,

Christof Schultz, Rosa Schultz,
August Gatzke, Louis F. Hopkins
and Reginold Winstone, Defendants.
In pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford cuit Court for the County of Crawford; In Chancery, made and entered on the fourteenth day of October, A. D. 1915, in the above entitled cause, I the subscriber, a circuit court commissioner of the county of Crawford, shall sell at public auction or vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of the court house in the Village of Grayling, in said county of Crawford, on the nineteenth day of February, A. D. 1916, at mine o'clock in the forenoon of that day all those certain lands and premises, situate in the County of Crawford, on the third day of March, A. D. 1916, at two o'clock in the forenoon of that day all those certain lands and premises, situate in the County of Crawford and State of Michigan and described as the Southwest quarter of the Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter.

For Sale.

Lots numbered five and six, on the northwest corner of block twentyeight, Roffee's addition can be bought cheap for cash. A fine location.

OSCAR PAINER, Circuit Court Commissioner



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\$1.00 a Room and up

Now is the time to get your wall paper cleaned so that your walls will be clean and neat for the holidays. We clean your wall paper for a dollar a room and up, according to the size of the room. Calcimine wall also.

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SORE, ACHING FEET 'My, how 'Tiz' gladdens tired, swollen, burning feet-

It's glorious!"

Ah' what relief. No more tired feet; no more become feet; no more second, seching fence; sweaty feet. No more soreness in serie, enllouses, lunions.

No matter what alls your feet or what under the sun you we tried without getting relief, just use Tiz. "Tiz" is the only remedy that draws out all the passionous exhabitions which just up the feet. "Tiz" cares your foot frouble so you'll never limp or draw up your face in pain. Your shoes won't see a tight and out it, a will never never hart or get one any wollen. Think if it no more feet missing, no ence agony from even raller see an houres. Ah ' what relief. No more tired feet;

### Drs. insley & Keyport Physicians & Surgeons

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### A. M. LEWIS, DRUGGIST

### Crawford Avalanche.

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, JAN. 27

### Local News

Yes, Willie, you are a gentleman. Now live up to it!

Miss Helen Ruth left Sunday night for a week's visit in Mason.

Kieth McKay of Pinconning spen Sunday with friends in Grayling.

Axel Peterson spent a few days the fore part of last week in Bay City. James Jorgenson left on a busines

trip to Detroit last Thursday night. County Clerk John J. Niederer was in Bay City Saturday afternoon on

William Smith, of Gaylord was a

guest of his sister, Mrs. S. L. Meade An "eminent attorney" is a fellow

who lifts your coin without being called a thief. J. H. Grover of Riverview, is stopping in the city and taking medical

treatment from Dr. Keyport. Frank Bedell of Grand Rapids. arrived Tuesday to take a position at

the McCullough barber shop. The High school boys' and girls' basket ball teams will play the High school teams at Cheboygan Thursday

R. Hanson was in Lausing Friday to attend the annual meeting of the Lansing Lumber company of which he is a stockholder.

For once we will welcome the advent of the baseball season with joy. "Twill be a welcome diversion from

Mrs. H. Joseph returned home Saturday from Milwaukee, where she had spent the past month visiting her daughters, Mrs. Harry Fredman and Miss Margaret.

Some of the carpenters of Traverse City have returned to Grayling and started in to put the finishing touches on the new hotel. It is expected to have it finished within thirty days.

first tank car of wood manufactured at the DuPont factory was shipt out yesterday. It contained

play that will be presented at the in January. Opera house Tuesday evening Feb. Branch. The play is under management of Attorney E. M. Harris, who is well known in Grayling. The cast consists of 14 players, the leading role being played by Mr. Harris. Reserved seat tickets are now on sale at the Central Drug store.

erity. Grab it.

Russell Tameson of Gaylord was guest of Miss Mildred Schreck, Sun-

And after the war who shall arbi-

poses, the lawyer exposes, and the udge deposes.

Messrs Chan Bresanhan and Clar ence Sheppard of Roscommon were in

Grayling Saturday. Fire insurance is too cheap to be vithout. Why are you so negligent-

GEO. L. ALEXANDER & SON. Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Hanson and daughter, Virginia left Sunday night for Lansing, Chicago and other cities.

Mrs. J. B. Woodburn left this morning for Indianapolis, Ind., to spend several weeks with her son, Earl and The slippery sidewalks last Friday

and Saturday made walking almos impossible, yet we have heard of no serious falls Born to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Nichols

of Spencer, a fine baby girl, at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. New ton McMahon. Mrs. Wm. Finley of Bay City ar-

visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Woodfield. I. L. Dexter of Hart, Mich., arrived last Friday to visit his daughters, Mrs. P. D. Borchers and Mrs. Lester

McPeak, and families. R. E. Lemke and family of Bay City have moved into one of the DuPont houses on DuPont avenue. Mr. Lem ke will look after the cordwood in the

A small blaze at the DuPont factory last Friday night, burned a few logs of charcoal screening. Their fire department soon had it extinguished and the damage was light.

A crowd of young folks enjoyed time in several years that these waters have been suitable for this sport.

With some women frantically demanding the vote, and other women vociferously and contemptuously denouncing it, how in tarnation is a mere ng in either the mud or the mire?

Peculiar weather for January. Already we have had four thaws this grip of steel that never relaxes. 4,000 gallons and the quality was of month and at this writing the sleighthe highest, testing out 99 8-10 per ing is gone. Within the memory of tertained at cards last Saturday evensome of our oldest inhabitants, never "A Celebrated case" is the title of a have we had these conditions before

> The I. O. O. F. held their installalast week at their lodge rooms. The following were duly installed:

V. G .- Peter Jenson.

F. S.-Geo. McCullough

R. S .- Carl Jenson

### 1st. by a cast of players from West tion of officers on Tuesday evening of N. G.-Nikolin Schjotz.

### Treas.-Chas. McCullough

## Essay Writing Contest

### \$20.00 Distributed in Prizes

to the four pupils writing the best essay on the following

"What Optometry Has Accomplished for Eye Safety.'

There are no strings to this contest. The only condition being that contestants must be regular attendants of the public schools of Grayling, or the surrounding towns or territory.

Rather than name a specific prize for each, the winner can have his or her choice of any article or articles (amounting to the value of the prize) from the stock in my store. For instance-1st prize \$10.00 value; 2nd, \$5.00; 3rd, \$3.00, and 4th \$2,00 value. All other contestants will be given their choice of either an examination of their eyes (value \$1.00) or

Essays will be submitted to three competent judges. Mail your essays direct to C. J. Hathaway, Grayling, Mich., with your name and address enclosed in sealed envelope inside. Have nothing on essay indicating to whom or where it belongs. Contest closes March 1, 1916. For further particulars, consult your teacher or write direct to

C. J. HATHAWAY, Optometrist,

GRAYLING, MICHIGAN.

Masonic meeting tonight with work

Is your wife a jewel? If so, tell her Tell her so, anyway.

Miss Hattie Kraus left last Saturday or a week's visit in Detroit.

C. J. Hathaway has installed a phon in his jewelry store—number 1273. Kick yourself as much as you like, but never let the other fellow do the

kicking. Miss June Granger of Cadillac was over Sunday last.

Miss Helen Reagan will entertain the Grayling Thursday club at her

home this evening. Mrs. Fred Larson returned Monday to Johannesburg after a short visit

here with relatives. Miss Nellie Hoyt of Gaylord was guest of her uncle, M. A. Bates and family over Sunday.

The Misses Matilda and Gertrude Foley of Lovells were guests at the Palmer home over Sunday. If men's shadows were X-ray photo

graphs-Phew! What would everybody think of everybody else? Axel Jorgenson left last Thursday

night for Detroit, after spending sev eral weeks at his home here. Reports are current that Aage Rood

who went to Denmark about a year ago will return to America soon. Robert Burrows arrived from roit, Tuesday for a few days' visit

with his brother, Arnold and family. Mrs. S. J. Graham of Saginaw ar ived last Friday to be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Hanson

for a few days. John H. Cook will lead a discussion meeting at Danebod hall this evening at 7:30 o, clock. This will be in the Danish language.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Collier of Chicago arrived last Monday night for a visit with the latter's mother, Mrs. A Kraus and family.

Mrs. James Sweeney and daughter Margaret returned Tuesday morning from Cass City, where they had been attending the funeral of the former's

The DuPont company have already shipt several cars of acetate of lime to Bay City, where it will be manufactured into acetone, which is used in the manufacture of high explosives.

The regular monthly meeting of the Grayling Board of trade will be held in the Glen Smith office over Lewis' Drug store next Monday night, January 31st, at 8:00 o'clock.

Marius Hanson, and M. A. Bates co this city and Ed. Chalker, of Maple licly install the newly elected officers Forest township attended the meet rived on Wednesday of last week to ing of the Northeastern Michigan Development bureau at Bay City Wednesday.

Arthur J. Robinson of Frederic and Miss Anna M. Hanson of Chehoygan were united in marriage in this city yesterday by Justice O. P. Schumann The young couple will make their home near Frederic for the present.

Dr. Stanley N. Insley reports, from his weather department, a rain fall thing is being done to make this the yesterday and last night of 55-100 inches. This is exceptionally high for this time of the year. The coldes during yesterday and last night was

Same old story again. An Oak Parl Ill., man owns \$2,000,000. His son skating Sunday at the dam and on wanted the money and plotted to kill School section lake. This is the first his parents. Since they are promin ent people the would-be murderer is pronounced "mentally unbalanced. Of course, to be sure, etc.

Next week Wednesday night the Grayling Opera house will present to its patrons the royal actress. Betty take the position of night foreman at Forest entered the hospital Wednes-"it" of a man to decide without sink- Nansen in Count Leo Tolstoi's masterpiece Anna Karenini. This is a photo been with the Company at Bay City Mrs. Edith Hunt of St. I play that stirs and thrills. Holds in a for some time in a similar capacity, ing nicely at the hospital.

> Mr. and Mrs. John H. Williams ening at their home. Will Havens and the DuPont houses. Mr. Lemke will Mrs. J. McMahon won highest honors and Mrs. W. Hammond and Master Earl McMahon the conscistion prizes. A dainty luncheon was served by the hostess and Miss Alva Williams rendered several selections on the piano. Altogether it was a very pleasant

Det Danske Brodersamfund indbyblive afleveret til komiteen. Entreen a mothers' club. er for Herre 75 cent, og for medlemmer af D. B. S. og D. S. S. 50 cent Kaffe og Kage severes frit. Kom alle og tilbringe en fornøjelig aften.

The photo play, "The House of Bondage" that was to have been pre sented at the Opera house last Tues day night was a fizzle because the film seemed to be worn out and was constantly breaking. It was a great disappointment to the audience, which packed the house. Manager Olson gave back half of the admission price, 20 cents and put on other pictures This was no fault of the local management, but the fault of the owner of the films. They never should have been sent out in this poor condition.

The people of Lovells have been puzzled to know why they did not receive their Avalanches last week. And we might add that we are just as curious. The papers were placed in the Post office as usual Thursday, afternoon and it was not until Tuesday that we learned that they had not eached Lovells. We immediately sent additional papers to the entire list, with a few exceptions. We haven't heard of any mails being robbed, yet just what has become of the bundle of newspapers? We are curious to know.

Cephas Buttles of Lewiston was in the city on business Tuesday.

We might add a little spice to life by turning Teddy loose on Villa. Try our special dinner and luncheon

The Royal Cafe. Sunday, 35c. The fellow who hides his light under a bushel is putting the bushel to poor use.

Misses Tina Bennett and Eulah Stillwill left Tuesday for Flint to visit or an indefinite time.

Chas. Douglas of Johannesburg attended the opening of the new High school last Friday evening

Miss Elizabeth Karpus of Flint ar rived yesterday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephan Karpus.

W. R. C. installation Friday, Jan.

28th. All members are requested to

be present. Meeting called at 2:30. The warm weather and rain has greatly interfered with Mr. Niederer putting in his supply of ice for next summer. Ice was 14 inches thick and

of the finest quality before the rains

He had to lay off the ice cutting crew

until more favorable weather. Taxes are now due and the rolls fo the collection of state and county taxes are now, at the Bank of Grayling, ready to receive payments.

"The American Protective Tariff ague has just issued an unique paraphlet entitled "Roster of the sixtyfourth Congress," which will be use ful to every person who wishes to communicate with any member of Congress. The pamphlet also includes letters of approval of the Tariff league's work from a large number of congressmen and practical business concerns."

This week C. J. Hathaway has been visiting the schools at Johannesburg, Lewiston, Gaylord, Frederic, Roscomnon and also Grayling, giving short talks on optometry. He is offering \$20.00 in prizes for the best essays that may be written by pupils of these schools and other nearby schools, on the subject of "What Optometry Has Accomplished for Eye Safety." His advertisement on this page gives full particulars regarding the contest.

Judging from appearances there is going to be a record breaking at tendance at the annual K. of P. bal next week, Thursday, Februray 3rd. However the dance floor is so large that it will easily accomodate all who come. Besides the attraction of Dau at Frederic, who was brought to the Russo's 33rd Regiment orchestra, of Saginaw, there will be an exhibition along nicely. drill by Grayling's Uniform Rank, K. General S. P. Kyes of Lansing will be present in uniform and pub-This will be at 8:00 o'clock. The

guests are invited to come in time to witness this. Following this will be the drill which is bound to be a pleas ing feature of the party. The grand march will begin promptly at 9:00 o'clock, and be followed by the regu- pital with an injured spine, is doing lar dance program. Refreshments will be served in one of the large finest party ever given in Grayling. her home at Houghton lake.

### DuPont News Items.

Miller Rose went to Bay City last week, both feeling very well again. Saturday to spend Sunday with his family, returning Monday.

of the DuPont works here, is expected in town today.

The first tank car of wood alcohol was shipped from the DuPont plant an injured knee, is able to be up and Wednesday of this week.

Wm. J. Tease of Bay City arrived pital as yet. in the city Monday of this week to Mrs. Benj. F. Sherman of Maple the DuPont plant. Mr, Tease has day for treatment.

We wish him success in his new field. Mr. Lemke of Bay City has moved to Grayling and is occupying one of assist in the coal wood operations.

Miller Rose of the DuPont plant is expected to complete his work here for the present in about two weeks; for of February. the balance of the winter will be only an occasional visitor.

### Mother's Club Meeting.

All mothers interested in the wel der alle Skandinaver i Grayling at fare of the children of Grayling are deltage i deres Stiftelsesfest som vil requested to meet in room 35 in the blive afholdt paa Temple theater Lor- new school building at four o'clock dag aften, den 29 Januar. Damer be- sharp Friday afternoon, Jan. 28th for des medbringe en madkurv som vil the purpose (if desired) of organizing



### F. S. HAYNE Piano Tuning

Special Price to Feb. 10-\$2.50.

Leave orders at C. J. Hathaway's jewolry store—Phone 1273

# Final Clearance

## Winter Goods

Next Saturday marks the end of our great January Clearing Sale. We are going to wind it up by giving you extra values.

Ladies' and Misses' Coats A few to close at 1=2 off

regular prices.

Girls' Coats Sizes.2 to 14 Final Clearance

1=3 off

Boys' Overcoats Men's Suits and Overcoats

Exceptional values.

(Excepting Styleplus)

1=3 to 1=2 off 1=4 to 1=3 off

Rubbers, Hosiery, Blankets, Underwear, Men's Flannel Shirts—all reduced to final clearance prices.

## Grayling Mercantile Co.

The Quality Store

Mercy Hospital Notes

Mrs. Chris Hanson was brought to the hospital Wednesday afternoon

Mrs. John W. Burke of Frederic vho uuderwent an operation last week is doing very well.

Mrs. Elizabeth Kelley of Frederic is

getting along slowly.

Joseph Kuchpa of S. B. Ward's camp hospital internally injured, is getting

Joseph McCoy of Waters is getting along slowly. Fred Neven of the DuPont Co., was dismissed from the hospital Wednesday, feeling fine again. Mr. Neven

underwent an operation for appendicitis a couple of weeks ago A. Huey of the R. Hanson & Sons camp at Legrand who entered the hos

Miss Lennie Nestle, who underwent basement rooms, which will be pret- an operation for appendicitis a few tily arranged for the occasion. Every- weeks ago, was discharged from the

> Elgie Parker of this city and John Huse of Frederic were dismissed last

Joseph Kovaski and U. Parker, both of Waters, are getting along nicely Charles T. Clark, general manager The former was injured at the Stephens lumber mill at Waters. Glen Davis of the Salling, Hanson

> Co., who has been at the hospital with around, but not able to leave the hos

Mrs. William Huck of Gaylord is doing very well as the result of an oper-

ation last week.

Anyone contemplating installing a telephone will do well to order at once Advertising in This Paper is a Good new directory will be out the 1st

### We Are STRONG on Our **Brands of Coffee**

Experience in careful buying and with an idea to sell just the kinds people want, has made this store stand high in COFFEE FAVOR.

Here is one that is modest in price and probably the best brand sold for the money—

McLAUGHLIN'S XXXX

We are offering this at a special price of 20c per pound.

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### Farm and Garden Seeds

I am the only seedsman in or out of Michigan who has a stock of SEED CORN grown in Northern Michigan. Don't forget it. Write your name and address on a postal card and get my price list.

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The laxative tablet with the pleasant taste

Protects every member of the family from Constipationthe enemy of good health

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We have the exclusive selling rights for this great laxative.

Trial size, 10 cents.

A. M. LEWIS & CO.

# THE LONE WOLF

### By LOUIS JOSEPH VANCE

At Troyon's a Faris inn, the youth Marcel Troyon, afterwards to be known as Michael Lanyard, is caught stealing by Burke, an expert thief, who takes the topy with him to America and makes of him a finished cracksman. After stealing the Omber jewels and the Huysman war plans in London Lanyard returns to Troyon's for the first time in many year bedguse he thinks Roddy, a Scotland Yard man, is on his trail. On arrival he finds Roddy already installed as a guest.

CHAPTER II-Continued.

However impulsively, he hadn't sought Troyon's without definite intent, to wit, to gain some clue, however slender, to the mystery of that deak of the caisse; inquiries, so dis- in France creetly worded as to be uncompromising, elicited from the maitre d'hotel the information that the house had activ where. And with the new ad- day morning cartoons for Le Figaro the old waiters remained.

"'All are gone, the old, familiar anish eyes, and never-failing grin, tes,'" Lanyard quoted in vindictive A creature of proverbial good melancholy-"damn 'em!"

the cuisine was being maintained on still had that comfort!

Other impressions, less intimate.

Lanvard commanded a fair view of across the waist of the room. set man with a square jaw, cold blue eyes, a fat nose, a thin-lipped trap of mouth, a face as red as rare beef-

His dinner comprised a cut from the joint, boiled potatoes, brussels sprouts, a bit of cheese, a bottle of He ate slowly, chewing with the doggedness of a strong character hampered by a weak digestion, and all the while kept his eyes fixed to an issue of the Paris edition of the London Daily Mail with an effect of concentration quite too convincing

Now one doesn't read the Paris edition of the London Daily Mail with intense excitement. Humanly speaking, it can't be done.

Where, then, was the object of this so sedulously dissembled interest?

Lanyard wasn't slow to solve this riddle to his satisfaction-in so far. that is, as it was satisfactory to feel yet more certain that Roddy's quarry was another than himself.

Despite the lateness of the hour. which had by now turned ten o'clock the restaurant had still a dozen tables so in the service of guests pleas antly engaged in lengthening out an agreeable evening with dessert, coffee liqueurs and cigarettes. The majority of these were in couples, but at a table one removed from Roddy's sat a party of three; and Lanyard noticed, or fancied, that the man from Scotland Yard turned his newspaper only dur-

Of the three, one would pass for an American of position and wealth—a man of something more than sixty years, with an execrable accent, a cast of countenance clouded darkly by the expression of a soul in torment, furrowed, seamed, twisted-a mask of mortal anguish. And once, when he looked up and casually encountered Lanyard's gaze, the adventurer was shocked to find himself staring into eyes that were as the eyes of a dead eyes of a gray so light that at a little distance the color of the iris blended indistinguishably with their whites, leaving visible only the round, black points of pupils abnormally distended and staring, blank, fixed, passionless, beneath lashless lids

For the instant they seemed to explore Lanyard's very soul with a look of remote and impersonal curiosity; then they fell away, and when next the adventurer looked the man had turned to attend to some observation of one of his companions with a smile that fairly transfigured his face, the smile of a charming child,

On his right sat a girl who might be his daughter, for not only was she. too, obviously American, but she was far too young to be the other's wife. demure, old-fashioned type, well poised but unassuming, fetchingly cowned, and with sufficient individuality of taste, but not conspicuously; girl with soft, brown hair and soft brown eyes; pretty, not extravagantly so when her face was in repose, but carcely less than beautiful-in all. canyard thought, the kind of woman who is predestined to comfort mankind, whose strongest instinct is the

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the Assertion Made by Dean

of University.

Christ was a master of the art of ad-

vertising, John proved himself a great

ditor and there is no better reporter

than Luke according to Walter Wil-

practically a duologue between her pu- | She flushed prettily as she nodded | tative father and the third member of

the little party.
This last was one whom Lanyard was sure he knew, though he could see no more than the back of M. le Comte Remy de Morbihan.

And he wondered with a thrill of amusement if it were possible that Roddy was on the trail of that tre-mendous buck. If so, it would be a chase worth following—a diversion rendered the more exquisite to Lanyard by the spice of novelty, since for once he would figure as a dispassion

ate bystander. The name of Comte Remy de Mortaily—time and change had left little other than the shell of the Troyon's he remembered. Pana Troyon and the change had been gone; madame no longer occupied the the wealthiest and the most-liked man

As to his looks, good or bad, they were said to prove infallibly fatal with women, while not a few men, perhaps been under new management these for that reason, did their possessor the eighteen months, the old proprietor honor to imitate them. The revues was dead, and his widow had sold out lock, stock and barrel, and retired to him; Forain counterfeited him extenthe country, it was not known ex- sively in that inimitable series of Monministration had come fresh decora-tions and furnishings and a complete at sight of that stocky figure, short anything definite about him, apparentchange of personnel—not even one of and broad, topped by a chubby, moonlike mask with waxed mustache, wom-

A creature of proverbial good nature and exhaustless vitality, his ex-Happily it was demonstrated that traordinary popularity was due to the equally extraordinary extravagance with which he supported that latest Gallic fad, "le sport." The Parisian Rugby team was his pampered proproved puzzling, disconcerting and tege; he was an active member of the tennis club, maintained not only a flock of automobiles but a famous racing stable, rode to hounds, was a good The detective had ordered a meal that field gun, patronized aviation and matched his aspect well, both of true motor-boat racing, risked as many British simplicity. He was a square-maximums during the Monte Carlo season as the Grand Duke Michael himself, and was always ready to whet rapiers or burn a little harmless powder of an early morning in the Parc

aux Princes. But there were some ugly whispers in circulation about the sources of his fabulous wealth. Lanyard, for one, wouldn't have thought him the properest company or the best Parisian cice rone for an ailing American gentle-man blessed with independent means and an attractive daughter.

Paris, on the other hand-Paris who forgives everything to him who con tributes to her amusement-adored Comte Remy de Morbihan.

But perhaps Lanyard was prejudiced by his partiality for Americans, a sentiment the outgrowth of those several years he had spent with Bourke in New York He even fancied that between his spirit and theirs existed some subtle bond of sympathy. For all he knew, he might himself be American.

CHAPTER III.

A Point of Interrogation.

For some time Lanyard strained to catch something of the conversation that seemed to prove so interest ing to Roddy, but without success thanks to the hum of voices that filled the room. In time, however, the gath ering began to thin out, until at length there remained only this party of three, Lanyard enjoying a most delectable salad and Roddy puffing a cigar (with such evidence of enjoyment that Lanyard suspected him sin of smuggling) and slowly emptyng another bottle of Bass

Under these conditions the talk be cans became public property.

The first remark overheard by Lanvard came from the elderly American collowing a pause and a consultation of his watch

"Quarter to eleven," he announced.
"Plenty of time," said De Morbihan cheerfully. "That is," he amended, "if mademoiselle isn't bored."

The girl's reply, something which was accompanied by a pretty inclination of her head toward the Frenchman was lost in the other's accents He had a strong and sonorous voice in strange contrast with his ravaged appearance and distressing cough.

"Don't let that hurry you," he advised cheerfully. "Lucia's accustomed to keeping late hours with me- and whoever heard of a young and pretty woman being bored on the third day

of her first visit to Paris?" He pronounced the name with the soft "c" of the Italian tongue, as though it were spelled "Luchia." man: "one suspects it will be long be fore mademoiselle loses interest in the

Rue de la Paix. "You may well, when such beautifu things come from it," said the girl. "See what we found there today She slipped a ring from her hand

and passed it to De Morhihan. There followed silence for an instant, then an exclamation from the

"But it is superb! Accept, made-She took little part in the convermoiselle, my compliments. It is wor mation, seldom interrupted what was thy even of you."

smiling acknowledgment.
"Ah, you Americans!" De Morbihan sighed. "You fill us with envy—you have the souls of poets and the wealth of princes!"

But we must come to Paris to find beautiful things for our womenfolk!" "Take care, though, lest you go too

far, M. Bannon." "How so-too far?"

"You might attract the attention of the Lone Wolf. They say he's on the prowl once more. The American laughed a trace con

temptuously. Lanyard's fingers tightened on his knife and fork; otherwise he made no sign. A sidelong glance into a mirror at his elbow showed Roddy still absorbed in the Daily Mail The girl bent forward with a look

"The Lone Wolf? Who is that?" "You don't know him in America

mademoiselle?" "Non" "The Lone Wolf, my dear Lucia," the valetudinarian explained in dry and humorous accents, "is the sobri quet fastened by some imaginative French reporter upon a celebrated criminal who seems to have made himself something of a pest over here ly, but he operates in a most individ-

ual way and keeps the police busy trying to guess where he'll strike next." The girl breathed an incredulous ex clamation.

"But I assure you!" De Morbihan protested. "The rogue has had a won-derfully successful career, thanks to his dispensing with confederates and confining his depredations to jewels and similar valuables—portable and easy to convert into cash. Yet," he added, nodding sagely, "one is not ever reluctantly, even unconsciously, afraid to predict that his race is all with a wife, a mistress, a child, or most run.

scent-at last?"

affirmed. By now the conversation had caught

the interest of several loitering waiters, who were listening open-mouth ed: and even Roddy seemed a bit startled, and for once forgot to make business with his newspaper, but his wondering stare was exclusively for De Morbihan.

Lanyard put down knife and fork swallowed a final mouthful of Haut Brion, and lighted a cigarette with the hand of a man who knew not the meaning of nerves.

"Garcon!" he called quietly, and or dered coffee and cigars, with a liqueur

"Known!" the American exclaimed. They've caught him, eh?"
"I didn't say that," De Morbihan

laughed; "but the mystery is no more -in certain quarters." "Who is he, then?"

"That-monsieur will pardon me-I'm not yet free to state. Indeed, I nisy be indiscreet in saving as much 3. I do. Yet, among friends-" His shrug suggested that, as far as

His shrug suggested that, as far as of some eminence. You have heard to was concerned, waiters were not be some eminence. You have heard of Mme. Omber, eh?" human and the other guests of the establishment non-existent. "But," the American protested, "per

haps you can tell us how they got on his track?" "It was not difficult," said De Mor

bilan; "indeed, quite simple. This



"The Lone Wolf?

one of depreciation is becoming, for it was my part to suggest the solustrete. He had been annoyed and distrussed, and was even talking of resigning because of his inability to cope with this gentleman, the Lone Wolf. And since he is my friend, I, too, was uistressed on his behalf, and badgered my poor wits until they chanced upon the idea which led us to the light."

pointment as the Frenchman paused provokingly.
"Perhaps I should not. And yet-

"You won't teil us?" the girl, pro-

tested, with a little moue of disap-

why not? As I say, it was elementary reasoning-a mere matter of logical deduction and elimination. One made up one's mind the Lone Wolf must be cartain type of many the rest was simply sifting France for the man to fit the theory and then watching him antii he gave himself away."

"You're not going to stop there? grieved tone.

"No? I must continue? Very well: confess to some little pride. It was feat. He is cunning, that one!" De Morbihan paused and shifted sidewise in his chair, grinning like a nischievous child.

By this maneuver, thanks to the ar angement of mirrors lining the walls, he commanded an indirect view of Lanyard, a fact of which the latter was not unaware, though his expres sion remained unchanged as he satwith a corner of his eye reserved for Roddy-speculating whether De Morbihan were telling the truth or only boasting for his own glorification.

"Do go on-please!" the girl begged prettily.

"I can deny you nothing, mademoiselle. Well, then! From what little was known of this mysterious creafure one readily inferred he must be a bachelor, with no close friends. That is clear I trust?"

"Too deep for me, my friend," the elderly man confessed.

"Impenetrable reticence," the coun expounded - and enjoying himself hugely—"isn't possible in the human relations. Sooner or later one is doomed to share one's secrets, howwith some trusted friend. And a se-"You don't tell me!" the older man cret between two is—a prollific breeder cretlaimed. "Have they picked up the of platitudes! Granted this line of reasoning, the Lone Wolf is of neces-"The man is known," De Morbihan sity not only unmarried, but practically friendless. Other attributes of his will obviously comprise youth, courage, imagination, a rather high order of intelligence, and a social posi tion—let us say, rather, an ostensible business—enabling him to travel at will hither and you without exciting comment. So far, good!

"My friend, the chief of the surete, forthwith commissioned his agents to seek such a one, and by this means several fine fish were enmeshed in the healthnet of suspicion, carefully scrutinized, and one by one let go-all except one, the veritable man. Him they sedulously watched, shadowing him across Europe and back again. He was in Berlin at the time of the famous Rheinhart robbery, though he compassed in Vienna when the British embassy there was looted, but escaped by a clever ruse and managed to dispose of his plunder before the agents of the surete could lay hands on him: recently he has been in London, and there he made love to and ran away with the diamonds of a certain lady

Now by Roddy's expression it was wasn't strange in his hearing, at least ing vivacity; and he thought that this he found this news about her most closer scrutiny discovered in her face surprising. He was staring openly, with a slackened jaw and stupefaction thought beyond her apparent years n his blank, blue eyes.

as a suspicion of tremor. His brain, patient melancholy, however, was working rapidly in the "We are off for effort to determine whether De Mor-bihan meant this for a warning or was ing—"M. Bannon and I. He has not founded on advance information and tion. For by now the news of the in all that time. continental telegraph wire.

American agreed thoughtfully. "Eydiamonds. The real marvel is that the as long as he did."

But truly so. monsieur!" "And they caught him at it, eh?"

"Not precisely; but he left a clueand London as well-with such haste as would seem to indicate he knew his cumping hand had for once slipped." "Then they'll nab him soon?"

assured that the chief of the surete has laid his plans—his web is spun, us, surely?" and so artfully that I think our unfriends in the prison of the Sante. But now we must adjourn. One is sorry. It has been so very pleasant."

some recess of his waistcoat and his gaze afresh to the Daily Mail. The

Lanvard noticed that the American with eash, indicating that he resided there, tery:
tt Troyon's as well as dined there, tery:
"As you will, my friend!" he grant-And the adventurer found time to re-

in preference to the palatial modern hostelries of the Rive Droite—before De Morbihan, estensibly for the first time espying Lanyard, plunged across the room with both hands outstretched justified by their rather slight acquaintanceship. "Ah! Ah!" he clamored vivacious

ly. "It is M. Lanyard, who knows all about paintings! But this is delightful—a grand pleasure! You must know my friends. But come!" And seizing Lanyard's hands, when

that one somewhat reluctantly rose in esponse to this surprisingly overexu perant greeting, he dragged him willy nilly from behind his table. "And you are American, too.

tainly you must know one another. Mile Bannon—with your permission my friend, M. Lanvard, And M. Banyou will share a passion for the beau ties of art."

The hand of the American, when

Lanyard clasped it, was cold, as cold as ice; and as their eyes met that abominable cough laid hold of the man, as it were by the nape of his neck, and shook him viciously. Before it had finished with him his sensitively colored face was purple and he was gasping, breathlessinfuriated.

"M. Bannon," De Morbihan ex-plained disconnectedly—"It is most



Rose in Response to This Greeting. listressing—I tell him he should not

stop in Paris at this season." "It is nothing!" the American interposed brusquely between paroxysms. "But our winter climate, monsieurit is not fit for those in the prime of

"It is I who am unfit!" Bannon napped, pressing a handkerchief to his lips-"unfit to live!" he amended venomously.

expression of sympathy. Through it all he was conscious of the regard of that coup without detection; he was the girl. Her soft, brown eyes met his candidly, with a look cool in its composure, straightforward in its inquiry, neither bold nor mock-demure And if they were the first to fall, it was with an effect of curiosity sated, without trace of discomfiture. And somehow the adventurer felt himself measured, classified, filed away.

Between amusement and pique he ontinued to stare, while the elderly American recovered his breath and plain that, if Mme. Omber's name De Morbihan jabbered on with unfailcontours suggesting maturity of his blank, blue eyes. which were somewhat less than the Lanyard gently pinched the small sum of his own—and with this the end of a cigar, dipped it into his demit suggestion of an elusive, provoking tasse, and lighted it with not so much quality of westful languor, a hint of

"We are off for a glimpse of Montsimply narrating an amusing yarn seen Paris in twenty years, he tells me. Well, it will be amusing to show amplified by an ingenious imagina- him what changes have taken place Omber affair must have thrilled many moiselle is too fatigued to accompany us. But you, my friend-now if you "Mme. Omber-of course!" the would consent to make our third, it would be most amiable of you.'

"I'm sorry," Lanyard excused him-self; "but, as you see, I am only just one Wolf neglected so shining a mark in from the railroad, a long and tiresome journey. You are very good, but

"Good?" De Morbihan exclaimed vith violence. "I? On the contrary, I am a very selfish man; I seek but to afford myself the pleasure of your company. You lead such a busy life. my friend, romping about Europe, "Ah, monsieur, one must say no here one day, God knows where the more!" De Morbihan protested. "Rest next that one must make one's best of

"Really I cannot tonight. Another sociable outlaw will soon be making time, perhaps, if you will excuse me." "But it is always the way!" De Mor bihan explained to his friends with a vast show of mock indignation. A waiter conjured the bill from other time, perhaps his invariable response! I tell you, not two men in served it on a clean plate to the Amer- all Paris have any real acquaintance ican. Another ran bawling for the with this gentleman whom all Paris Roddy glued knows! His reserve is proverbial-'as distant as Lanyard,' we say on the boulevards!"

And turning again to the adventurigned the bill instead of settling it er, meeting his cold stare with the De with cash, indicating that he resided Morbihan grin of quenchless effron

GET BEST MILK IN WINTER cate, on the contrary, that under cur-

That Former Popular Impressions Have Been Wrong.

It has always been believed that nilk, butter and other dairy products widespread popular belief. They indi if packed in ica.

rent conditions the milk obtained in summer is, if anything, somewhat inferior in quality to that obtained in the winter when the cows are shut up ln stables.

bacteria in milk will increase in fifty are at their best in the spring and hours from three to thirty times the summer, when the cows have the best initial number, while at 70 degrees pastures. But recent investigations conducted by the Massachusetts state is why milk should be kept cold.

mind-well, you'll have no trouble finding us. Ask any place along the conventional route. We see far too little of each other, monsieur am most anxious to have a little chat with you."

"It will be an honor," Lanyard returned formally

In his heart he was pondering sev eral most excruciating methods of murdering the man. What did he murdering the man. What did mean? How much did he know? he knew anything, he must mean ill, for assuredly he could not be ignorant of Roddy's business or that every other word he uttered was riveting suspicion of identity with the Lone Wolf or that Roddy was listening with all his ears and staring into the bar-

Decidedly something must be done o silence this animal, De Morbihan, should it turn out he really did know omething!

It was only after profound reflection over his liqueur—while Roddy de-voured his Daily Mail and washed it. down with a third bottle of Bass-that Lanyard summoned the maitre d'hotel and asked for a room.

It would never do to fix the doubts of the detective by going elsewhere that night. But, fortunately, Lanyard knew that warren which was Troyon's as no one else knew it; Roddy would find it hard to detain him should events seem to advise an early de-

CHAPTER IV.

A Stratagem.
When the maitre d'hotel had shown him all over the establishment—inno-cently enough, en route, furnishing him with a complete list of his other uests and their rooms, memoranda readily registered by a retentive memry-Lanyard chose the bedchambe next that occupied by Roddy, in the

second story.

The consideration influencing this selection was, of course, that so situated he would be in a position not only to keep an eye on the man from Scot whether or not Roddy were disposed

to keep an eye on him. In those days Lanyard's faith in himself was a beautiful thing. He could not have enjoyed the immunity ascribed to the Lone Wolf so long as he had without gaining a power of sturdy self-confidence in addition to certain degree of temperate contempt for the spies of the law and all

Reviewing the scene in the restau rant, Lanyard felt measurably war-ranted in assuming not only that Rodrant, Lanyard felt measurably dy was interested in De Morbihan, but that the Frenchman was well aware of that interest. And he resented sincerely his inability to feel as confident that the count, with his gossip about the Lone Wolf, had been merely seek ing to divert Roddy's interest to pu sible that De Morbihan's identification of Lanyard with that mysterious per sonage, at least by innuendo, had been unintentional. But somehow Lanyard didn't believe it had.

However, one would surely learn something illuminating before very long. The business of a sleuth is to sleuth, and sooner or later must surely make some move to indicate the quarter wherein his real interest lay.

Just at present, reasoning from noises audible through the bolted door hat communicated with the adjoining bedchamber, the business of a sleuth seemed to comprise going to bed.

Lanyard, shaving and dressing, could distinctly hear a tuneless voice con-tentedly humming "Sally in Our Aley." a rendition nunctuated by one heavy thump, and then another, and then by a heartfelt sigh of relief—as Roddy kicked off his boots—and followed by the tapping of a pipe against being lowered for ventilation, the click of an electric-light switch, and the creaking of bed springs.

Finally, and before Lanvard had finished dressing, the man from Scotland

Yard began placidly to snore. Of course, he might well be bluffing, Roddy know that they neighbors by announcing his selection

ing door. adventurer meant to have answered

It was hard upon twelve o'clock when the mirror on the dressing table assured him that he was at length in he habit and apparel of a gentleman of elegant nocturnal leisure. But i he approved the figure he cut. It was mainly because clothes interested him and he reckoned his own impeccable. Of their tenant he was feeling just then a bit less sure than he had half an hour since; his regard was lowering and mistrustful.

He was, in short, suffering reaction from the high spirits engendered by his cross-channel exploits, his success ful getaway, and the unusual circumstances attendant upon his return to this memory-haunted mausoleum of an inhappy childhood. He even shivered a trifle, as if under premonition of mis-

With one last look round to make certain there was nothing in his room's calculated disorder to incriminate him were it to be searched in his bsence, Lanyard enveloped himself in a long, full-skirted coat, clapped on an opera hat, and went out, noisily locking the door. He might as well have left it wide; but it would do no arm to pretend he didn't know the edchamber keys at Troyon's were interchangeable-identically the same eys, in fact, that had been in service n the time of Marcel the wretched.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Figures Quickly Gathered. of the population in cities and towns asted 15 days. In the rural districts the population and agricultural enunerations combined were completed n about thirty days.

Wherein the Difficulty.

"Yes, sir, one hour's uninterrupted reading each evening would make you—" "Uninterrupted? Where do on think my wife spends her eveninga?"-New York Times.

### Get the Habit of Drinking Hot Water Before Breakfast

Says we can't look or feel right with the system full of poisons.

Millions of folks bathe internally now instead of loading their system with drugs. "What's an inside bath?" you say. Well, it is guaranteed to perform miracles if you could believe these hot water enthusiasts.

women who, immediately upon arising in the morning, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This is a very excellent health measure. It is intended to flush the stomach, liver, kidnevs and the thirty feet of intestines of the previous day's waste, sour bile and indigestible material left over in the body which, if not eliminated every day, become food for the millions of bacteria which infest the bowels, the quick result is poisons and toxins which are then absorbed into the blood causing headache, bilious attacks, foul breath, bad taste, colds, stomach trouble, kidney misery, sleep lessness, impure blood and all sorts

People who feel good one day and the next, but who simply can not get feeling right are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from any druggist or storekeeper. This will cost very little but is sufficient to make anyone a real crank on the subject of internal sani-

tation. Just as soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and freshening, so limestone phosphate and hot water act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels. It is vastly more important to bathe on the inside than on the outside, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the bowe! pores do.

And many a woman who is short of breath is long of tongue.

## "CASCARETS" FOR LIVER, BOWELS

For sick headache, bad breath, Sour Stomach and constipation.

Get a 10 cent box now.

No odds how bad your liver, stomach or bowels; how much your head aches, how miserable and uncomfortable you are from constipation, indigestion, biliousness and sluggish bowels -you always got the desired results with Cascarets.

Don't let your stomach, liver and bowels make you miserable. Take Cascarets to night; put an end to the headache, biliousness, dizziness, nervousness, sick, sour, gassy stomach, backache and all other distress; cleanse your inside organs of all the bile, gases and constipated matter

which is producing the misery A 10-cent box means health, happiness and a clear head for months. No more days of gloom and distress if you will take a Cascaret now and then. All stores sell Cascarets. Don't forget the children-their little inides need a cleansing, too. Adv.

Too many of the things we wait for

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half plut of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and % oz. of glycerine. Apply to the half twice a week until it becomes the desired shade. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. It will gradually darken streaked, fided gray hair, and romoves dandruff. It is excellent for failing hair and will make harsh hair soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.—Adv.

And many a mushroom is a toad-

Dr. Pierce's Pellets are best for liver; cowels and stemach. One little Pellet for a laxative—three for a cathartic.—Adv.

Playing the fool is no difficult role.

When Housework Drags

Keeping house is hard enough when well. The woman who has a bad back, blue, nervous spells, and dizzy headaches, has a hard lot, for the family tasks never let up. Probably it's the result of kidney trouble and not the much-feared "women's weekness." Strengthen "woman's weakness." Str the kidneys with Doan's Pills. They are as harmless as they are effective and may be used or children with weak kidneys, too.

A Michigan Case

Mrs. Anna Wright,
2 Vermont Ave., Deolt, Mich., says: "I
ad intensa pains in
y back and kidneys
ont were full of sedient. I tired easily,
cled energy and had
ouble in breathing.
Then I read about
onn's Kidney Pills
tried them and four
five boxes cured
e. I am glad to say that
es have never returned."

Get Donn's at Any Store, 50c a Box

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### **Need a Laxative?**

Don't take a violent purgative. Right the sluggish condition with the safe, vegetable remedy which has held publie confidence for over sixty years

# **BEECHAM'S**

Hame, dean of the school of journalism of the University of Missouel, who ad- quered. dressed a Bunday school convention in

JOURNALISTS OF THE BIBLE

patch to the New York Herald. , "Even Christ's last words were no

for silence, but for Christian publicity, Williams, "Whenever

"When Kitchener wanted 1,000,600

St. Louis, says a St. Louis (Mo.) die

church has kept the good news of the has given this news out it has con

men he advertised in the newspapers When the church wants 1,000,000 strong men to aid its cause it rings a pell for five minutes on Sunday.

"Luke, with his vivid phrases, wrote the greatest report in the world—the story of Christ." said Mr. Williams John proved himself the best editor, for he freely used the blue pencil, scat-"If I wished, I could fill many volumes.'

"Even the devil advertises," Mr. Williams, "hir specialty being white lights."

Recent Investigations Serve to Show

At a temperature of 50 degrees the

poard of health fall to bear out this . Milk will not sour for several days



lusions so quickly as marriage.

PREPAREDNESS!

To Fortify The System Against Urip
when Grip is prevalent LAXATIVE BROMO
QUININE should be taken as this combination
of Quinine with other ingredients, destroys
germs, acts as a Tonic and Laxative and thus
keeps the system in condition to withstand
Coids, Grip and Influenza. There is only one
"BROMO QUININE." R. W. GROVE'S sigsature on box. \$50. To Fortify The System Against Grip

The world is full of illusions.

Faint heart may win fair lady little assistance on her part.

Important to Mothers
Examine carefully every bottle of
CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for

A word to the unwise is wasted.

#### THE NEWEST REMEDY FOR BACKACHE, RHEUMATISM AND DROPSY

the kidneys are weak or diseased, these natural filters do not cleanse the blood sufficiently, and the poisons are carried to all parts of the body, and the poisons are carried to all parts of the body, and pains, heaviness, drowsiness, irritability, headaches, chilliness and rheumatism. In some people there are sharp pains in the back and loins, distressing bladder disorders and sometimes obstitor twenty-four hours? A heavy sediment or settling sometimes indicates bladder disorders and sometimes ment or section.

In the write acid and sometimes with the write acid affects the muscles and joints it causes lumbago, rheumstism, gout or sciatica. This is the time to send Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., 10c for large trial packpunch.

Buffalo, N. Y. 10c for large trial packpunch.

John Inclined to Resent Instruction

That He Habitually Stayed Away From Church.

"What's that song they're singing now?"

"'Rock of Ages.'" "'Rock of Ages'? Well, that's the

first time I ever heard those words to 'Rock of Ages,' and that's the first time I ever heard that tune to it. Must be something new. Nice window they got there, ain't it?"

"Ye-e-es. I should say it is!" "I don't think I'll care much for your new preacher—don't like his col-

"Well, I don't! And I don't like the way he says 'idear,' neither. If your other preacher hadn't talked like he had a lot of potato in his mouth all pipes?" the time I'd have come oftener. Lots of time I came here just on your, ac count, and sat here in misery."

"Yes, how many times were you "Wasn't I here last Children's day?

Foiled.

"Tompkins was around trying to borrow money today. I thought he married a widow with three or four

"He did, and then discovered to his sorrow that she intended to keep

Norwegian army officers, because many of them were trained in Germany, are mostly pro-German. But for political reasons the Norwegians Kidney, Bladder and Uric Acid trou-leaten, and even from some vegetables. bles bring misery to many. When The poor kidneys get tired and back-the kidneys are weak or diseased, ache begins. This is a good time to these natural filters do not cleanse take "Anuric," the new discovery of presumably would be with the Swedes against Russia if forced to take sides. The Norwegians can muster 400,000 Denmark does not enter into the northern Scandinavian peninsula's cal-

age of "Anuric" medical staff will inform you truthfully.

During digestion uric acid is absorbed into the system from meat 50c pck'gs.

As Josh came out of the grocery

"Well, one of 'em mus' be fer the

And now the news is abroad in the

mokes a cob pipe.—Indianapolis

"He says he can read much in my

"Between the lines, I suppose," sug

Brown county hills that Mrs. H-

Now They Don't Speak

"Mr. H--- sent me fur 'em."

she smoked."

News.

Work A Pleasure

is largely a matter of health; and in this a big factor is

eating the right kind of food-food that repairs the

daily wear and tear of body and brain-keeps one in

Grape-Nuts

made of whole wheat and malted barley, supplies all

the rich nourishment of Nature's field grains, including

their vital mineral salts, so lacking in many foods, but

all-important in building up and sustaining brain,

sound, well-balanced nourishment - makes for happy

"There's a Reason"

Grape-Nuts with cream or good milk supplies

QUITE A REGULAR ATTENDANT SCANDAL QUICK TO SPREAD The head of the staff of physicians of the navy has reported to the min-ister of the navy that the men in How It Comes That Indianapolis Lady Is Unjustly Accused of Smoking Cob Pipe. the navy drink too much coffee. The head of the staff takes the ground that the matter is serious enough to

Quite a number of Indianapolis peo ple have cottages in Brown county, to demand a remedy. which they go to spend the week-end. The water in the rivers and lakes Among these are Mr. and Mrs. Hwho have a cozy log house on a hill-side near Nashville. Mr. H—is fond of Sweden is abnormally low this winter. The condition is most serious in the southeastern part of the counof a pipe, particularly of a cob pipe. There was abundant rain in The other day, having mislaid or lost his solace of his resting hours, he called his boy-of-all work and said: July, but since that time the downfallhas been way below the average. The a cob pipe. Well, get two while you're at it and pick out good ones."

with the pipes in his hand, he was hailed by a group of acquaintances: 'Hello, Josh, where did you get them collected about 3,500 books on the Our consular organization has been history of religious, and all of them remodeled and the chamber of com-

missus. Dinged if I knew before that was due exclusively to the war.

> The government has decided that the repair ship Blenda shall carry 57millimeter guns while serving as a supply ship for the submarines.

About 80 contracts between private railway companies and their emnlovees expired the first of this year. At this writing it is not known how many of them were renewed before they expired.

The quarterly report of the bricklayers' union shows that in 24 local unions having a membership of 2,255 there are 668 who are out of work. A large proportion of those engaged in the other branches of the building trades are also idle, and no improvement is in sight.

It is estimated that the expenses of the home for inebriates at Venn garn for the year 1917 will be \$27,270, of which \$12,000 will be contributed by the state.

During the last few years the rigsdag has voted \$17,000 to the support of farmers' advisers in the different

ambassadorship in Stockholm, and the name of the first man sent to fill the new position is Grecoff. The managers of the public domain

Bulgaria has established a regular

have notified the government that there is no reason for expecting the government forests to furnish fuel to the public on a large scale.

The government has set aside over \$4,000 for extension work in gymnas-tics for the benefit of public school teachers.

The combined loans made by the government to the private railway companies of Sweden amount to about

DENMARK.

SCANDINAVIAN NEWS

SUMMARY OF IMPORTANT HAP

PENINGS IN FAR OFF

NORTHWEST.

Resume of the Most Important Events

SWEDEN.

Says C. F. Stewart of the United

ress: Sweden does not intend to

et Germany lose the European war,

even it she is forced to make war

herself as Germany's ally. Sweden may not insist on an out-and-out Ger-

man victory, but she feels she cannot

for her own safety, allow the Russians

to beat Germany. She is not particularly pro-German or pro-ally, but she

is anti-Russian, with her whole soul.

She will fight with Germany before

she will see Russian win. She be

lieves her strength will be the decid-

ing factor in the last resort. As far

Swedes have been in terror of a Rus-

sian attempt to selze the czar's most

coast of the Scandinavian peninsula.

This can only be at Norway's expense,

and Norway can only be reached

through Sweden. The Swedes claim they can put 1,000,000 troops into the

that the Swedes are admirably trained

and well armed. In the event of hos-tilities they would be thrown across

the frontier into Finland in the ex-

pectation that the Finns would join

them in a campaign to capture Petro-

grad and sweep southward to join

the Germans near Riga. The Norwe-gian attitude cannot be spoken of so

unqualifiedly. By sentiment, and in

onsequence of trade relations, the

Norwegian masses sympathize with

Great Britain. They are mindful, too,

of the ruin England's navy could work

to their merchant fleet, the world's largest after Britain's and Germany's.

culations. The Danes are pro-ally in

In October the government turned

\$2,700,000 over to the department of

war in the interest of "preparedness

for war. This is all spent, and the

The National Bank of Sweden now

pays 99 per cent of the face value

of Norwegian money and 97.5 on the

sympathy and German haters.

other appropriation of \$400,000.

ace value of Danish money.

Experts doubt this, but concede

coveted war ... water port on the west

back as any Swede can remember all

In America.

In Sweden, Norway and Denmark-

Of Interest to the Scandinavians

Because some airily clad "classic dancers were on the program, the Ford neace party did not attend a reception arranged by the Copenhagen Society of Esperantists. The Danish delegation to The Hague peace conference includes Sven Lange, the nov elist; Olaf Forchhamer, president of the Copenhagen Peace society, and ITEMS FROM THE OLD HOME Commodore Blume, Arctic explorer.

. . .

Danish readers of these items will

no doubt find delight in reading the following about Queen Alexandra, an aunt of King Christian X of Denmark and the mother of King George V of England: Queen Alexandra has taken a particular interest in the work of he soldiers' canteens which furnish coffee and sandwiches free to all men n uniform at the principal London railway stations. On several occa sions the queen mother has insisted on taking a turn at the coffee urn, serving the customary hour and a half trick with the other voluntary workers at one or another of the stations. The soldiers seldom recognize her highness for some time, and she takes especial delight in serving them in cognito and receiving their "Thank you, missus," just as it is given to the ther workers in the canteen. Perhaps the best of the queen's custom ers was a Kentish farmer who looked in at the London bridge station canteen one foggy night. He was evidently neither a soldier nor sailor, and was distinctly not in uniform. Somebody whispered to him that the queen mother was serving coffee. He approached one of the other waitresses, and asked if, supposing he gave a little money to the cause, the queen would give him a cup of coffee with her own hand. Queen Alexandra readily consented. So the farmer from Kent had his coffee and then, coming inside the counter, he wrote out a check for \$25. Soon after he took his train for Kent and the next thing heard from him was in the form of a check for \$250, being money which he had raised in subscriptions among his neighbors. A fortnight later he appeared in person with \$125 more, and declared that he was not going to rest until he had brought his total contribution up to \$1,000.

#### NORWAY.

Norway has reorganized and perected its entire commercial system of representation in the United States in preparation for a virile campaign two countries. F. Herman Gade, Norwegian commissioner at the Panama-Pacific exposition, who already has taken charge of the Chicago headquarters, outlined the plans as they have been laid out by his government.
"Norway's overseas trade with the United States, that had been growing steadily before the war, has since that time gone ahead by jumps," he said, "and an organization has been worked out touching all parts of the United States. The country has been divided into three main sections, the Atlantic and Guif coast states, 20 middle western states and the Pacific coast states making up the three divisions. Chicago has been selected as the headquarters of the middle western section. In addition to changing the consulate system, the government is encouraging membership in the newly organized chamber of commerce by both American and Norwegian business men in this country. One hun-dred Chicago business houses have already been enrolled in the movement. The United States and Norway have been held apart by lack of understanding in the past. The Germans have been able to cut prices just a little bit below the American and offer 30 "Josh, go to the grocery and get me September rains afforded some relief to 60 days' credit, where the Ameria cob pipe. Well, get two while you're in the central portions of the councans demand cash. But the local exporters can meet this competition once the American is assured of the finan-The late Rev. Dr. S. A. Fries had cial responsibility of his customers. will be donated to the seminary of merce formed to improve this instituthe history of religious of the Stock- tion." Mr. Gade formerly was consulhe was called to Norway to work on The amount of money sent from a commission that had been appointed.

America to Sweden was only half as to study ways of bringing the counlarge in 1915 as in 1914. The slump try into closer touch with the United States.

The Norwegian Nobel committee has decided by a unanimous vote to add the peace prize of about \$40,000 for the year to the special fund, and to defer the awarding of the peace prize of 1915 one year. These steps are in perfect harmony with the rules laid down once for all by the founder of the peace fund, Alfred Nobel, the famous Swedish philanthropist. reason why the prizes of 1914 and 1915 have not been awar led is that no one has been found worthy of them.

A Bergen shipowner named Norgren sold a ship just after it had been launched. He paid the builders about \$90,000 and received \$270,000 in payment.

The king has donated \$540 towards the support of a proposed commercial-high school in Bergen, \$270 towards establishing a Christian young peo-ple's school in Tromso, and similar amounts to a Christian young people's high school in Northern Nor-

The Norwegian steamer Fridtjof Nansen of Bergen, bound from the east coast of Africa for Rotterdam, was sunk in the English channel, Two of the crew were killed.

The Women's Mission for the Lapps owns and operates a home for Lapps, which is called Fredly, and is located in Tysford. The National Antituberculosis society has decided to turn \$2,500 over to this mission for building an addition to the Fredly home in order that as many as ten tuberculosis patients may be cared for at the institution. Tuberculosia is very common in this part of the coun-The population is largely Lappish or mixed, and for that reason it is difficult to get the consumptives of the district placed in hespitals.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

Live Stock. DETROIT-Cattle-Receipts, 2,182; est heavy steers \$7.25@7.60; best

handy weight butcher steers \$6.50@ 7; mixed steers and heifers \$6@6.50; handy light butchers \$5@5.85; light butchers, \$4.75@5.25; best cows \$5.50 @6; butcher cows, \$4.50@5.2b; com-mon cows, \$3.50@4; canners, \$2.75@ 3.25; best heavy bulls, \$5.50@5.75; bologna bulls, \$5@5.25; stock bulls, \$4,50@5; feeders, \$6@7; stockers, \$5

@6; milkers and springers, \$35@80. Calves, receipts 828; few extra fan-cy sold at \$11.50, but bulk of the good ones went at from \$10@11, with common and heavy \$7@9.50.

Sheep and Lambs, receipts 6,122; pest ambs \$10.50@10.75; fair lambs. \$9@10; light to common lambs, \$8@ 8.90; yearlings, \$8@9; fair to good sheep, \$6@6.75; culls and common, \$4

Hogs, receipts 14,145; 20c lower pigs selling at \$6@6.75, and yorkers and heavy \$7.20@7.30.

EAST BUFFALO-Cattle-Receipts 4,375; market 25c lower; choice prime native shipping steers, \$8.25@ 8.60; fair to good, \$7.75@8; plain and coarse, \$7.25@7.50; best Canadian steers, \$8@8.25; fair to good, \$7.25@ 7.75; common and plain, \$6.50@7; choice heavy butcher steers. \$8@8.25: fair to good, \$7@7.75; best handy steers, \$7.75@8.15; common to good, \$6.257.50; yearlings, \$8@8.65; common to good, \$7@7.75; prime fat helfers \$6.75@7.25; best handy butcher helfers, \$6.75@7.10; common to good, butcher cows, \$5.25@5.75; medium to good: \$4.75@5.25; cutters, \$3.85@4.35; canners, \$3@3.50; best bulls, \$6.75@ 7: good butcher bulls \$6.25@6.50 ausage bulls, \$5.50@6.25; light bulls, \$4@5: feeding steers \$5.25@7: stockers, \$4.50@6.50; good yearlings, \$6@ 6.75; common, \$4@4.75; milkers and springers, \$60@90.

Hogs—Receipts, 17,600; strong

heavy, \$7.80@7.85; yorkers, \$7.75@ 7.80; pigs. \$7@7.25.

Sheep and lambs-Receipts, 9,000; active and higher; top lambs, \$11.50; one load choice, \$11.75; yearlings, \$10 @10.50; wethers, \$8@8.50; ewes. \$7.50

Calves steady; tops, \$12; fair to good, \$10.50@11.50; grassers, \$4@5.

DETROIT-Wheat-Cash No. 2 red. \$1.39 1-2; May opened 1-2c lower at \$1.35, advanced to \$1.36 and closed at \$1.35; July opened at \$1.27 1-2c advanced to \$1.28 1-2 and closed at \$1.27 1-2; No. 1 white, \$1.25 1-2c. Corn—Cash No. 3, 74 1-2c; No. 3 yellow, 76c; No. 4 yellow, 74 1-2c. Oats—Standard, 53 1-2c; No. 2 white

52c; No. 4 white, 49@50 1-2c. Rye-Cash No. 2, \$1. Beans-Immediate, prompt and Feb

ruary shipment, \$3.70. Cloverseed-Prime spot, March, \$11.85; prime alsike, \$10.25. Timothy—Prime spot, \$3.80. Hay—No. 1 timothy, \$18@18.50

standard timothy, \$17@17.50; light mixed. \$17@17.50; No. 2 timothy, \$14.50@15.50; No. 1 mixed, \$14@15; No. 2 mixed, \$10@12; No. 1 clover \$10@12; rye straw, \$7.50@8; wheat and oat straw, \$6.50@7 per ton in car lots, Detroit. lots.

Flour-In one-eighth paper sacks per 196 pounds, jobbing lots: First patent, \$6.80; second patent, \$6.50; straight, \$6; spring patent, \$7.10; rye

flour, \$5.90 per bbl. Feed—In 100-lb sacks, jobbing lots: bran, \$24; standard middlings. \$25; fine middlings, \$30; coarse cornmeal \$31; cracked corn, \$33; corn and oat chop, \$29 per ton.

General Markets. Apples-Greenings, \$2.50@3; Spy.

\$3,50@4; Baldwins, \$2.50@3.50; Steele Reds, \$4.50@5 per bbl; western, \$1.75 @2.25 per box. Rabbits-\$2@2.25 per doz.

Dressed Hogs-Light, 7 1-2@80

heavy, 6 1-2@7c.

Maple Sugar—New, 15@16c per lb.; syrup, \$1@1.10 par gal.

Sweet Potatoes-Jersey, kiln-dried. \$1.25@1.30 per hamper.
Dressed Calves—Best, 13 1-2@14c

ordinary, 13@13 1-2 per lb.
Tomatoes - Hothouse, 25@27c per

1b.; Florida, \$3.50@4 per crate. Celery—Michigan, heavy fancy, 30 @35c; shipped in, 25@30c per doz. Potatoes—Carlots, on track, \$1.05@

Honey-Choice to fancy, new white

comb, 15@16c; amber, 10@11c; extracted, 8@9c per 1b. Lettuce-Hothouse, 11@12c per lb .: Florida, \$2.75@2.85 per hamper; Tex-

as, \$1.35 per hamper.
Dressed Poultry—Turkeys, 24@25c; geese, 16@17c; ducks, 10@20c; spring chickens, 17@18c; hens, 16@17c per

18 1-2c; brick, 17 3-4@18c; limburger, 2-tb pkgs. 16 1-2c, 1-tb. pkgs. 18 1-2c; imported Swiss, 38c; domestic Swiss,

20@27c: long horns, 18 1-2@18 3-4c;

Live Poultry-No. 1 spring chickens, 16@16 1-2c; medium spring chickens 15@15 1-2c; heavy hens, 16@16 1-2c; medium hens, 14 1-2@15c; light hens 10@11c; ducks, 17@18c; geese, 16@16 1-2c; spring turkeys, 21@22c; old turkeys, 16@17c per lb.

Nuts-Spanish chestnuts, 10c per lb.; shellbark hickory, \$1.50; large hickory, \$1.25 per bu; black walnuts,

Hides-No. 1 cured, 16 1-2c; No. 1 green, 14c; No. 1 cured bulls, 13c; No. green bulls, 10c; No. 1 cured veal kip, 19c; No. 1 green veal kip, 18c; No. 1 cured murrain, 16c; No. 1 green murrain, 15c; No. 1 cured calf, 21c; No. 1 green calf, 20c; No. 1 horse hides, \$4.50; No. 2 horsehides, \$3.50; No. 2 hides 10 and No. 2 kip and calf 1 1-2c lower han the above; sheepskins, as to amount of wool, 50c@2.

#### **BIG EATERS HAVE BAD** KIDNEYS AND BACKACHE

Take a Glass of Salts at Once if You Bladder Trouble You.

The American men and women mus guard constantly against Kidney trouble, because we eat too much and all our food is rich. Our blood is filled with uric acid which the kidneys strive to filter out, they weaken from overwork, become sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health.

When your kidneys feel like lumps

of lead; your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night; if you suffer with sick headache or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach, or you have rheu matism when the weather is bad, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a table spoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys: to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot infure, makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water beverage, and belongs in every home, because nobody can make a mistake by having a good kidney

His Opinion. Wells—Is that card club you and your wife joined a progressive bridge Dells (wearidly)-Not very.

MOTHER! LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE

If cross, feverish, constipated, give "California Syrup of Figs."

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach

Look at the tongue, mother! If coat ed, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup o Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is ofttimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfelt fig syrups. Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children o all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Adv.

Three Catholic bishops are serving

WHY SUFFER SKIN TROUBLES

a Postcard Will Bring Free Samples of Cuticura? Which give quick relief for all itch-

ing, burning, disfiguring skin troubles Bathe with the Cuticura Soap and ho water. Dry and apply Cuticura Oint ment to the affected part. They stop itching instantly and point to speeds healment often when all else fails. Free sample each by mail with Book Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.-Adv.

Philosophers are men who imagine

### **GENTLE RUBBING HELPS VARICOSE VEINS**

Rubbing the swollen veins nightly for about two minutes with a gentle upward stroke brings benefit to sufferers and is mightly good advice, says an authority.

After the rubbing, which should always be toward the heart, because the blood in the veins flows that way, epply Emerald Oil (full strength) with brush or hand.

brush or hand.
Try this simple home freatment for a Potatoes—Carlots, on track, \$1.00 y

1.15 for white and \$1.05@1.10 for red
per bu.

Onions—Yellow, \$2@2.10 per 100-lb,
sack; white, \$1.75 per bu.; Spanish,
\$1.75 per box.

Try this simple home treatment for a
few days and improvement will be noficed, then continue until veins are reduced to normal. It is very concentanted and penetrating and can be obtained at any modern drug store. It is
so powerful that it also reduces Goltre
and Wens

Love is a dream; marriage is an alarm clock.

Use Muriae after Exposure in Cold, Cutting Winds and Dust. It Restores, Refreshes and Promotes Eye Health. Good for all Eyes that Need Care. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago, Sends Eye Book on request.

Finding a diamond is also hard luck

### TO STOP TERRIBLE RHEUMATIC PAINS

Get a box of true Mustarine in the original yellow box for about 25 cents at druggists. Rub it on the inflamed loints or muscles, and that almost unpearable agony will go at once.

No rheumatic sufferer can afterd to be without true Mustarine, for it never fails to give blessed relief. Use it for these or pains anywhere, and for sore throat, bronchitis and pleurisy. There's relief in every rub. It stops pain and congestion. True Mustarine is made by Begy Medicine Co., Rochester, N. Z.

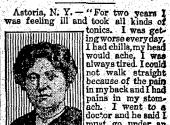
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Piles Relieved by First Application And cured in to 14 days by PAZO ONTMENT, the universal remedy for all forms of Piles. Druggists refund money fit falls: 60c.

Greeks are supposed to be the best

### **WOMAN AVOIDS OPERATION**

Medicine Which Made Surgeon's Work Unnecessary.



must go under an operation, but I did not go. I read in the paper about the paper about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and told my husband about it. I said 'I know nothing will help me but I will try this.' I found myself improving from the very first bottle, and in two weeks time I was able to sit down and

ing from the very first bottle, and in two weeks time I was able to sit down and eat a hearty breakfast with my husband, which I had not done for two years. I am now in the best of healtr and did not have the operation."—Mrs. JOHN A. KOENIG, 502 Flushing Avenue, Astoria, N. Y.

Every one dreads the surgeon's knife and the operating table. Sometimes nothing else will do; but many times doctors say they are necessary when they are not. Letter after letter comes to the Pinkham Laboratory, telling how operations were advised and were not performed; or, if performed, did no good, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compoundwas used and good health followed.

If you want advice write to

If you want advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass.

### The Wretchedness of Constipation

Can quickly be overco CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE.











MIDGET BIBLE Smallest in World.
Have you one? He before it. W. T. BARR, Pelleam, New York

W. N. U., DETROIT, NO. 5-1916.

### Mushrooms—30@35c per lb. Cheese (wholesale lots)—Michigan fats, 16 12@16 3-4c; New York flats, EXPERIENCED DRUGGISTS IN EVERY STATE RECOMMEND AND

USE SWAMP-ROOT IN THEIR OWN FAMILIES I have handled Dr. Kilmer's Swarss. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root sells well!

with us because it invariably produces good results in Kidney, Liver and Blad der troubles. We sold a dollar bottle to one of the inmates of our Soldiers' Home Root, kidney, liver and bladder remosy for twenty years and have heard plenty of favorable reports concerning it from der troubles. We sold a dollar bottle to one of the inmates of our Soldiers' Home near here, and after using it he brought in about one dozen gravel stones, some as large as a pea, which he had passed. He states that he obtained wonderful relief from the use of Swamp-Root.

ERNEST A. BROWN,
Lafayette, Ind.

Personally appeared before me this 28th of July, 1909, Ernest A. Brown, of the Brown Drug Co., who subscribed the above statement and made oath that the

Personally appeared before me this 28th of July, 1909, Ernest A. Brown, of the Brown Drug Co., who subscribed the above statement and made oath that the same is true in substance and in fact.

DAVID BRYAN, Notary Public.

Brooklyn, N. T.

November 12th, 1915.

### Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You

Send ten cente to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample size bettle It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information telling about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, he sure and mention this peace. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores

Sold by Grocers everywhere.

days and successful endeavor.

nerve and muscle tissue.

When? January 27th

# Anybody and Everybody Tell This to Your Neighbor

Where?

Place on the hill

There is not a man, woman or child within reach of these bills that won't reap a direct benefit during this sale. If you are not in touch with the war prices of today and posted, it behooves you to look into this matter at once. It certainly will be a great financial benefit directly to you by so doing. Now bear in mind, this store closes on the 26th and will remain closed all day with an extra force of clerks to prepare this stock for the

# Big Onslaught on Thursday, January 27th, at 8 o'clock a. m.

and not before. You all know the meaning of a sale of this kind at my store, so be prepared. If you have not the ready money, anything will be laid away for your pay day, bear this in mind. It is an important feature to you. You have never had such an opportunity, look you in the face, of high prices as here presented to you. My other sale was the talk of Crawford county and was the beginning of my success. Be ready for the opening day.

Our biggest feature during this sale—500 rules actually worth 5c each, will be given away FREE on Saturday, Jan. 29, at 11 o'clock to all school children (giving country children the same privilege) that will form in line in front of my store and will file through and receive rules. Rules will be on exhibition in the window a few days before given away. Not wishing to handle any more piece goods or skirts, they will be positively closed out at this sale. Remember this sale is CASH and CASH ONLY. Any article bought at this store during this sale not satisfactory, your money will be refunded cheerfully.

#### Ladies' Togs One lot of misses' coats, worth 3.50 and 5.00, in green and brown Astricans, baby \$1.98 Ages 4 to 14 years. One lot ladies' coats in baby lamb, 10.00 **55.05** and 12.00 values, for Entirely new in styles. This year's production. One lot plush satin lined coats, 25.00 \$16.85 Ladies' corduroy \$8.85 coats, 14.00 value, for One lot misses' coats \$5.85 worth 8.50 and 9.00, for \$5.85 One line of misses' Angora sweaters, beautiful designs, plaids and stripes, worth 3.00 \$1.98 and 3.50, for While they last. Ladies' Angora, double texture, worsted inside, Angora outside, worth 4.50 and 5.00, \$2.89 One lot of ladies' sample sweaters, consisting of reds, blues, browns and grays, worth 2.00 and 3.00, for One lot of ladies' auto hoods, fur trimmed, in various colors, worth 1.00, for - -Children's bonnets, 36c value for " 50c value for -Ladies', children's, men's and boys' toques for 25c, 35c and 50c Heavy Jersey knit gloves, 50c value, for Ladies' heavy outing underskirts, 50c val. for 39c, 25c values for -19c Ladies' outing night dresses .- 39c to 85c Ladies' flannelette kimonos, 98c values for 75c Ladies' flannelette tea jackets, 1.00 values for 75c, 50c values for - -Children's beautifully trimmed Chambray aprons, worth 25c, for One lot of ladies' waists in India linens, voiles, ranging in price from from 1.00 to 1.50, for One lot of voile waists, positively worth

One lot of Crepe de Chine waists, spring

Child's white Jersey snow pants for

Ladies' union suits, 1.00 value for

Cotton bats, worth 12½c, for -

One lot of corduroy waists, during this sale 2.29

Corset covers, 36c value for 25c. Special values.

designs, 2.50 value for

75c and 69c values for

Ask for them.

### Ladies' Shoes

Over 300 to 500 pairs of latest styles in ladies' shoes, cosisting of patents with white and tan tops, enameled white corded fancy stitching, all late fall designs, all go into this sale.

Over 200 pairs of ladies shoes in bulk \$2.00 and \$2.25 values, for - \$1.48 One lot worth \$2.50 and \$3, for - 1.89

Childrens', boys' and misses' school shoes will be one of the features of this sale. Get wise and when the door is open be ready to get your sizes before the stock is broken.

### Table Linen and Towels

But a few pieces of table cloth linens. The price will more than please you.

Turkish towels, very large, 35c value for . 21c

Corset cover embroidery, 20c value for 12 1/2 c Corset cover shadow lace, 25c value for 18c

### Men's Hats

A big chance for anyone wanting hats. Sample hats at 1/2 off. Staple shapes to select from. \$2.00 Hats \$1.50 Hats \$1.00 Hats for \$1.00. for 75c. for 50c. have this opportunity later.

All \$1.25 and \$1.35 suit cases during this sale Table oil cloths, in all colors, worth 22c, for 15c

### Toys, Dishes, Books

All holiday toys, dishes and books will be one grand slaughter, as I need the space. You know what that means.

### Last Word About Shoes

Just one word to the men before I close, about heavy and light shoes-high cuts in tans or blacks, lace and combination buckle. I am going to give you some bargains that you will remember. Remember positively this store carries as high styles on workmanship as is carried in large cities. They will be on sale.

#### Rubbers

Men's rubbers, Huron heel, worth 1.50	) \$1.19
Boys' rubbers, worth \$1.25, for	95c
Men's snag proof rubbers, worth 2.25 for	1.69
Men's 4-buckle arctics, \$2.75 and \$3 values, in dull and bright finish, for	
Men's 1-buckle arctics, \$1.35 and \$1.25 values, in dull and bright finish, for	
Men's 4-buckle arctics, red rubber, woo lined, \$3.50 and \$4 values, for	1 2.89
Men's high lace rubbers for sox	Same
One lot men's Niagara and Noleel storm rubbers, \$1.00 values for	z _ 75c
Children's storm rubbers, 39c and	_ 480

### Men's Shirts

collar, extra heavy, worth \$1.50, while they last for	59
Right in the face of high prices, mind you, men's working shirts, worth 50c for 39c each, or two for	75
One lot samples included, worth 50c and 75c for	39

#### Suits All \$5.00 and \$6.00 suits for \_\_\_\_\_\$3.95

One line of suits for \_\_\_\_\_ 1.89

All \$3.80 and \$4.00 suits for

Gloves, Mitts, Overall	S
Men's gloves, all heavy lined or un-	
lined, worth \$1.00, for	75
All 75c mitts or gloves for	49
All 50c men's overalls, striped or plain,	
have advanced to 65c, but will be	

sold during this sale, while they last,

### **Blankets**

Diamico
A few wool blankets in pure white and grays, actually worth \$7.00, for\$4.4
One lot worth \$3.50, 11-4 and 12-4, for 2.4
One lot worth \$2.50 and \$3.00, for 1.9
These are exceptional bargains, having closed out all the low price ones.
One lot at\$1.4
A small line only worth \$1.45, for 98

Enough said, but positively bear in mind the date and keep coming while the goods last at these prices

Remember the Place and Date

	For the Men	. Yes
	One lot of men's black cashmere sox 15c, two for	25c
	One lot of men's sox, grays and blues, 22c value for	19c
	One lot of men's sox, all staple colors, 25c, 5 pairs for	\$1.00
ं	One lot of men's 50c sox for	36c
٠.,	One lot of men's sox, extra heavy, 50c and 69c val. for	45c
	One lot lumbermen's long sox, black only, \$1 val. for	50c
į.	Boys' long sox, tufted, 50c and 75c values for	35c
ÿ.	One lot of boy scout leggings, 50c value for	25c
	Men's 5c handkerchiefs for	3c
	Indigo blue, Turkey reds, 8c and 10c values for	5c
	One lot men's black cashmere gaiters, long and shor	
	cuts 75c value for	35c
	One lot of men's wool underwear, fine 1.50 and \$1.75 values for	98c
Ġ	One lot of men's wool underwear, \$1.25 value for	79c
	One lot of men's wool union suits, heavy gray ribbed, \$2.50 and \$3.00 values for	\$1.95
	One lot men's extra fine wool union suits, large sizes only, \$3 value for	1.95
¥	One lot of men's cotton fleeced underwear, tan, 50c	
:	value for 33c each, or pair for	65c
	Boys' and girls' fleeced underwear, each	20c
	One lot Soo jackets and jumpers, \$3.50 value for	2.69
11 13.	One lot plaid shirts, \$2.00 value for	1.69
Ċ	Stag pants, \$3.50 value for One lot of men's pants, \$1.50 value for	2.85 98c
	All \$3.50 and \$3.75 heavy wool pants in Malone; Soo	96C
	or Sweet Orr for	2.85
	A big line of pants, consisting of serges, worsteds and cashmeres in various colors, prices to be slaughtered	sđ
	Men's \$8.50 athletic sweaters	5.95
. :	One lot of sweater coats worth \$6.00 to \$7.50, for	4.45
4	One lot of \$2.50 and \$3.00 values for	1.89
	Extra fine gray sweaters, with roll collars, 75c and 85c values for	48c
) 	One lot of boys, overcoats, sizes 8 to 14 years, \$3.50	
	and \$4.00 values for	2.45
	Children's sweaters, actually worth \$1 and \$1.25, for	75c 45c
	One line worth \$1.00 for One line of boys' waists	.45c
	[일본 ] 그렇게 다른 사람들이 되고 있는데 그리고 한다고 있다. 사람	150
	A few rain coats only. Take a peep.	

Mackinaws and Overcoats	
One lot of men's Mackinaws, worth \$9 and \$10, for	\$6.85
One lot worth \$6.50 and \$7.50 for	4.95
Boys' Mackinaws at	3.25
One lot Men's overcoats, worth \$16, for	11.45
One lot worth \$12.50 for	8.50
One lot of black Kerseys, with high military Astrican collars, worth \$10.00 for	6.85
One lot worth \$6.00, high storm collar, good long ulster, for	4.45
Men's corduroy coat, sheep lined and collars, worth \$6.50, for	\$4.45
Men's serge suits, worth \$15.00, for	9.95
Boys' suits, worth \$7.00, at -	5.85

## FRANK DREESE

The Lemon Colored Store, just opposite the County Buildings

GRAYLING, MICHIGAN

Railroad men, mill men, farmers and laborers, get the habit and follow the throngs and go to FRANK'S